"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Generally fair and warmer today; Thursday, cloudy and warmer; fresh, southwest winds.
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TRUCE AT FIUME FOR PEACE PARLEY; PROTESTS IN ITALY

Firing on the City Is Suspended While Regency Officials Discuss Demands.

BIG DEMONSTRATIONS HELD

Police in Large Cities Intervene to Keep Order—Milan Nationalists Talk of Uprising.

D'ANNUNZIO'S WOUND SLIGHT

Struck on the Head by Piece of Shell While Conversing in the Palace—150 Wounded Reach Trieste.

ROME, Dec. 28.—Firing on Fiume by the Italian blockading force will be suspended, it was decided at a conference in Abbazia today, according to advices received here.

The suspension was requested by the Director of National Defense at Fiume and the Mayor of the city, who met General Ferrario, commander of the blockading force, to discuss the possibility of ending hostilities.

At a conference in the morning the General informed the delegates that pourparlers were impossible without prior recognition of the Treaty of Rapallo. Such recognition having not been given, the delegates decided to return to Fiume to discuss the matter, and asked for another meeting in the afternoon. They also requested a suspension of the firing, which was granted.

Pro-d'Annunzio demonstrations, some of which have resulted in disturbances, have been held in all the great centres of Italy. Shops everywhere have been shut up. On their doors are posters reading, "Closed as a sign of national mourning." Flags also have been half-masted.

In Milan, Genoa, Spezia and Bologna the police were compelled to interfere to restore order. No serious incidents, however, have been reported, although two persons were wounded in Turin.

The Executive Committee of the Milan Nationalists has passed resolutions pledging the Nationalists immediately to rise up against the Government, "which alone is responsible for the crime perpetrated against Fiume."

Premier Giolitti accepted an interpellation in the Senate today respecting Fiume, but declined to have it debated at the present time. Meanwhile he has promised that the Government will publish without delay any information in its possession regarding the happenings at Fiume.

There was great excitement over the news from Fiume today. Senators and Deputies are having frequent meetings. Former Premier Salandra, who for a long time has been absent from Rome, has returned and is participating in the discussions.

Some of the Senators and Deputies insist that a truce be granted or that there shall be a suspension of hostilities for concluding an armistice. Others express the belief, however, that as the action has begun it would be much better to end the situation now and avoid later complications in the application of the Treaty of Rapallo.

Regulars Now Hold Half of City.

ABBAZIA, Dec. 28.—The taking of Fiume from the post-commander has all the accompaniments of war, with this exception, that if life can be spared, it will be. Bombardments by the artillery and battleships, machine guns and bombs, with intermittent rifle firing, continued throughout the day (yesterday).

The regulars are well within the city. They occupy half of the city, while d'Annunzio's forces, ambushed in the houses, resist with determination in the ever-increasing semicircle, which has at its base the sea. The Italian regulars are displaying perfect discipline.

D'Annunzio Slightly Injured.

TRIESTE, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—News confirming reports that Gabriele d'Annunzio, the Italian insurgent leader at Fiume, had been wounded in the recent fighting between his legionaries and General Caviglia's regular troops was received here today.

The advices said that d'Annunzio was struck in the head by a piece of shell while conversing in the Palace but that the wound was slight.

Duke of Aosta Joins Conference.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Duke of Aosta has arrived at Trieste and is proceeding to Abbazia to take part in the meeting between General Ferrario, the Italian commander, and the Fiume delegates, says a Milan dispatch to The London Times.

A dispatch to The Times from Rome says that the Mayor of Fiume requested an interview with General Caviglia and an immediate armistice on the following conditions:

"(1)—Withdrawal of the Government troops to their former positions.

"(2)—The Regency to evacuate Veglia and Arbe and hand back the Government vessels unarmed or with the promise that they will not be used against Fiume.

"(3)—Control of the legionaires from Fiume, independently of the Italian Government.

"(4)—The admission of a Fiume delegate to the commission which is to settle the fate of Fort Barocs."

These conditions are virtually those proposed by the Government recently and scornfully rejected by d'Annunzio.

The Fiume situation is very grave, and civilians cannot obtain food. It is

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Philadelphia New Year's and Sunday Excursions via New Jersey Central, $3.00. Tax 24c. Jan. 1 leave W. 23d St. 9:45 A. M.; Liberty St. 9:00 A. M. Jan. 2 leave W. 23d St. 8:17 A. M.; Liberty St. 8:30 A. M.—Advt.

PALE MALL Blended like cigarette with a Dye and easy drawing, mild.—Advt.

Kahn Mistaken About Japan, State Department Says

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—State Department officers stated today that Representative Julius Kahn of California, who conferred yesterday with Roland S. Morris, American Ambassador to Japan, was mistaken in his impression that Japan had withdrawn opposition to the California anti-Japanese land law adopted in the November elections in that State.

Officials said abandonment of the position Japan had assumed was not to be expected, at least until after the close of the negotiations now in progress.

DEMAND A HALT IN FLEET BUILDING

London Journals Protest Against British, Japanese and American Programs.

ACCORD WITH BRITAIN URGED

Morning Post Says Anglo-American Naval Agreement Would Be Assurance of Peace.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Several papers are demanding that a halt be called in the race for naval armament between America, Japan and Great Britain. The Daily Express points out that these three powers are all considering huge naval programs and makes an appeal to public opinion to avert this threatened development. These three powers, it says, ought to agree to stop all new construction and enter into a naval compact of retrenchment. Instead, it declares, Admiral Beatty, using Walter Long as his mouthpiece, is urging upon the Government a huge scheme for the building of capital ships which could not cost the nation less than £100,000,000, despite the fact that the majority of combatant officers have grave doubts as to the value of the capital ship in future warfare.

The Daily Express adds that the Government has not so far yielded to this demand and has referred the whole question to the Committee of Imperial Defense. Referring to the American program the paper says:

"Mr. Daniels has stated that America must be strong enough at sea to defeat any possible hostile combination. He has made no explanation of his meaning. His silence is incomprehensible, for the only possible combination justifying a huge American fleet would be that of Japan and Great Britain, which is unthinkable. If Japan and America came to war Great Britain would back America."

After remarking that Japan is not in a position to indulge with any advantage to herself in naval rivalry with the United States, the paper concludes:

"It has been shown that the conditions of the three great powers are all similar and comparable. None of them has money to burn on immense naval armaments; none of them knows what type of ship will win battles in the future. In all of them the majority of the population wants peace and economy. If this opinion can be mobilized it will prove too much for the scaremongers and militarists. The world wants peace and no building."

Hints at Munition Makers' Influence.

The Daily Chronicle says editorially:

"In the present international outlook, amid much that is encouraging, there are, we think, few more genuine grounds for alarm than the steady undertow of pro-armament forces which seems sucking the great nations back into the maelstrom of armament rivalry. In this disquieting tendency the gigantic armaments program of the United States undoubtedly counts for a great deal. It is therefore with very natural satisfaction that we observe the agitation in America to have that program reconsidered.

"It is primarily, of course, for Americans to determine how far its motives are valid and its adoption justified. Speaking as outsiders, we confess it seems to us almost motiveless, and, familiar as we have been in the past in Europe with the machinations of armament firms and similar sinister influences, we cannot avoid the suspicion that such influences may be at work. On the marrow of a war which has vastly expanded American armament industries, it would be rather surprising if they were not. The American democracy, educated, critical and active as it is, is in a position to appreciate the situation for itself.

"We on our side need only say that any concerted step toward limiting armies and fleets will find Britain practically unanimous in the desire to cooperate."

Post Criticises "American Politicians."

The Morning Post proposes that an Anglo-American agreement be concluded for naval work to be done in concert. It publishes an article by a professional authority which shows that in 1924 America will have twelve post-Jutland battleships and one ship which has been designed with some knowledge of the lessons of Jutland; six post-Jutland battle cruisers and nine pre-Jutland capital ships of first-class value—twenty-seven in all. Of fighting ships America in 1924 will have, apart from the question of the superiority of the pre-Jutland over the post-Jutland type, a numerical superiority of nine, or two squadrons, presumably, with all fleet units, cruisers, destroyers and submarines complete.

"Where is, then," asks The Morning Post, "the sea supremacy of Great Britain? In order to maintain a bare equality with America and excluding

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HOW ENGLAND BROUGHT ABOUT JUTLAND BATTLE

Mystery of Ordering of Jellicoe to Sea Before German Fleet Sailed Is Now Explained.

SPIES HAD NO PART IN IT

System of Co-ordinated Wireless Stations Fixed Position of German Flagship.

COULDN'T READ MESSAGES

But When Wireless Showed She Had Moved to Outer Harbor British Ordered Jellicoe Out.

By WALTER DURANTY.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—How did the British Admiralty know that the German High Seas Fleet was about to put to sea, as it did on May 31, 1916, and know the fact in time to order the British Grand Fleet under Admiral Jellicoe out to meet it a day before the German fleet sailed, thus bringing on the battle of Jutland?

THE NEW YORK TIMES is able to answer this question, in consequence of the discussion that has been aroused here by the controversy in England and the publication of the Jutland report.

Every detail of the battle has been carefully studied by French naval experts. Like the majority of people in England, they have been much puzzled by the mystery surrounding the order given Jellicoe by the British Admiralty, to put to sea on the evening of May 30, 1916. His report states:

"In accordance with instructions contained in their Lordship's telegram, No. 434, of 30th May, code time 1740, the Grand Fleet proceeded to sea on 30th May, 1916."

The big question remains, in the words of The London Times of Dec. 15, "Upon what the Admiralty based their order of May 30, seeing that the German fleet did not leave port until the morning of the 31st."

It has been generally supposed, both here and in England, that the Admiralty received information about the German movements by espionage.

This explanation is wrong. The correct answer to the puzzle is that it was not a spy of abnormal astuteness, but a miracle of modern science which gave the Admiralty that priceless information.

The impending sortie of the German High Seas Fleet was revealed by directional wireless plus a clever piece of deductive reasoning. The facts are as follows:

In the Spring of 1916 the British naval authorities had just completed the installation of a network of wireless stations situated at various points on the shores of the North Sea and radiating to a common centre on the roof of the Admiralty Building in Whitehall, London. By an ingenious system of sound magnification it was possible for each station to fix the exact distance from it of the sender of any message it might intercept. Then, by co-ordination and comparison of all the reports concerning any particular sender and calculation of the angles, the central station at the Admiralty could locate that sender's exact position on the map.

This new discovery was expected to be of immense service in locating enemy ships—especially the enemy flagship, that would be sending wireless messages continually—in a battle on the open sea. This was actually done during the battle of Jutland, when the Admiralty transmitted to Jellicoe at 1:48 o'clock on the morning of June 1 the precise latitude and longitude of the position occupied at midnight by the German battle cruiser Lützow, which had been badly damaged and was doubtless calling for assistance.

On May 29 this directional wireless system, as it was called, intercepted messages sent out by the flagship of the German Admiral von Scheer, and located his vessel in its usual position in the inner harbor of Wilhelmshaven. It was impossible to decipher the messages themselves, as modern codes are so complex as to require ten days' or a fortnight's work by experts to obtain the key, and the Germans took the precaution of changing their principal codes every week; but the British were able to gather that the sender in this case was the German flagship.

On the following day, May 30, the same sender was again identified, but this time it had changed its position, which was now at a point seven miles north of where it had been the day before. This meant that the ship had moved from the inner to the outer harbor.

Considering the change of position, together with the fact that the flagship had been sending more wireless messages than usual, the British reached the conclusion that the German fleet might be coming out at last. They knew it was tuned up ready for action, and rumors of an impending sortie had been reaching them continually.

At any rate, the Admiralty, judged it a chance worth taking and immediately sent Jellicoe instructions which brought about the long-expected battle.

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AUGUSTA — ASHEVILLE — AIKEN. Daily through service from New York. Southern Railway System. 816 Martridge Bldg., B'way at 56th. Phone Plaza 6811.—Advt.

'Uncle Joe' Cannon Sets a Congress Record; Celebrates Today Nearly 44 Years in House

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, war horse of the House of Representatives, today established a new American record.

With the close of a dull session he passed the mark for length of service set by Justin Smith Morrill of Vermont, who as Senator and Representative served forty-three years, nine months and twenty-four days. The former Speaker will begin tomorrow adding new time to his own record, with the hope of reaching the age of 100, and beating Gladstone's record of fifty-three years in the House of Commons.

"Uncle Joe's" achievement will be celebrated in the House tomorrow, with Champ Clark, himself a veteran, who will retire on March 4, leading the speaking ceremonies. Mr. Cannon will also speak, and many of the older members will ask time for a few remarks.

Walking about the corridors of the Capitol today chewing a long black cigar, Mr. Cannon told a friend that there was no use offering a little advice to younger Representatives, because somebody else was always thinking up smart things and attributing them to him. The remark, attributed to Mr. Cannon, that they put spurs on the heels of army officers to keep their feet from slipping off their desks, was never uttered by him.

"But what's the use?" he asked.

Counting his victory in the recent landslide, Mr. Cannon has been elected to Congress twenty-three times. First elected in 1872, he has kept coming to Congress ever since, with the exception of two bad Novembers, when his people failed to return him.

On May 7, next, he will be 85 years old. Few of his friends remember that he was born at Guilford, N. C. He served eight years as Speaker, and has been doing committee work so long that he has forgotten when he started.

"Mr. Gladstone served fifty-three years in the British House of Commons, and with good election luck I hope to beat that," the former Speaker said. "I have had four years of absence that I didn't ask for, and hope to reach the fifty-three, but then you never can tell."

NEW CABINET SLATE NOW NEAR DECISION

Hughes, Dawes, Weeks, Wallace, Hoover and Daugherty Rated as Leading.

HARMONIOUS GROUP SOUGHT

McCumber Joins the Harding Forces on League, but Straus Opposes New Association.

MARION, Ohio, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—After weeks of consideration and consultation, President-elect Harding is nearing a decision on several of his most important Cabinet appointments.

It may be said authoritatively that so far no such decision has been made, and that any suggestions which he may have dropped on the subject have been of a tentative and indefinite nature. It is equally certain, however, that in his talks here with leaders in many walks of life he has indicated clearly what men are uppermost in his mind as he asks for advice on the make up of his official family.

Those who have discussed the question with him intimately believe that appointments under very serious consideration include the following:

CHARLES E. HUGHES of New York, Secretary of State.
CHARLES G. DAWES of Illinois, Secretary of the Treasury.
JOHN W. WEEKS of Massachusetts, Secretary of the Interior.
HENRY WALLACE of Iowa, Secretary of Agriculture.
HERBERT HOOVER of California, Secretary of Labor.
HARRY M. DAUGHERTY of Ohio, Attorney General.

How many of these will actually receive the places for which they are now most prominently mentioned is a question that even Mr. Harding himself is not yet prepared to answer. Already several shifts have been made in his tentative appointment slate as he has worked his way toward a balanced and harmonious Cabinet, and other shifts are expected before the last decision is made.

Some Announcements Soon.

It is certain that for several of the places mentioned the President-elect has more than one man under consideration and that the list of possibilities given is far from complete. In regard to most of the Cabinet posts decisions may be deferred for several weeks, and the intervening period of deliberation may change the whole face of the problem.

Mr. Harding's selections for Secretary of State and Secretary of the Treasury, however, are expected to be known definitely within a few days. At the same time he may make public the names of one or two others on whom he has definitely decided for membership in the Cabinet.

Aside from those mentioned, recent gossip about Harding headquarters has brought to the fore the names of several who hitherto had been in the background of Cabinet speculation. Among them is Joseph Dixon of Montana, prominently mentioned for Secretary of the Interior; Charles D. Hilles of New York, discussed for Secretary of Commerce or the Treasury, and A. T. Hert of Kentucky, whose name has been associated with the portfolio of war.

Clashing Advice on League.

Special to The New York Times.

MARION, Ohio, Dec. 28.—President-elect Harding received contradictory advice on the League of Nations from two friends of the League who came here to confer with him today.

Senator Porter J. McCumber of North Dakota, the only Republican member of the Senate who voted for the ratification of the Treaty of Versailles without reservations, expressed the belief that so far as this country was concerned the League was dead, and that a new association of nations should be formed. Oscar S. Straus of New York, ex-Ambassador to Turkey, told Senator Harding that if a new association were proposed its success would be doubtful.

Concerning foreign policies, Senator McCumber said that he was not at liberty to speak of the particular plans which Senator Harding had in mind, but for himself expressed the view that the League covenant ought to be set aside and a new association of nations formed, which he believed would be possible in view of the general willingness of the important nations to cooperate with the United States.

"Senator Harding," he said, "is doing everything in his power to secure

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Pinehurst, N. C.—35th Anniversary Season. Golf and all other sports. Thru Pullman Flyer, 8:05 P. M. daily.—Advt.

FIRST WINTER ICE CAUSES FOUR DEATHS

Three Boys and a Girl Drowned in New York and Its Suburbs.

EIGHT CHILDREN RESCUED

Youngsters Playing on Ponds, Lake and Canal Ice Too Thin to Bear Them.

Eagerness to test the first ice of the Winter brought death by drowning yesterday to three boys and a girl, and resulted in rescues of eight other children here and near by.

Two lads on a borrowed sled, gleefully deaf to the shouts of a watchman, coasted down a small hill and out onto the thin ice on Pond 19 on the golf course at Forest Park, Queens Borough. The ice, not much thicker than the back of a knife, broke, and hours later, after the pulmotor had been in constant use, physicians at St. Mary's Hospital said Richard Kolm, 10 years old, of 18 Dean Street, Union Course, and Harold Mattern, 14 years old, of 17 Dean Street, were dead.

Several other boys saw the sled break through the ice, and their shouts reached Park Commissioner Henry Benninger, who, with several of his assistants, got a rowboat out to the hole in the ice. Firemen from Hook and Ladder Company 135 recovered the bodies with grappling hooks. The Park Department, fearing neighborhood children would try out the ice, had a watchman stationed to chase them away, but the two boys managed to elude him, the authorities said.

Four-Year-Old Girl Drowned.

On the banks of the Morris Canal at Dickerson Street, near Sussex Avenue, Newark, between the tall buildings of the Lauter Piano Company and the Whitehead & Hoag Company, four little girls planned to walk across the canal. The snow covering gave the ice a false look of strength, but Florence Plunkett, 8 years old, of 23 Hunterdon Street, Newark, held back. Her sister Lillian, 4 years old, started across the ice with Margaret Frazer, 8 years old, of 401 New Street, and Irene Reynolds, 11 years old, of 71 Morris Avenue.

A short way out the ice snapped and the three girls disappeared. The cries of Florence Plunkett brought workers from the plants, and Philip Reilly of 130 South Seventh Street and Joseph Pospisil of 1 Watchung Avenue, Bloomfield, got the Frazer and Reynolds girls ashore. They were revived in the City Hospital, where Margaret Frazer said her three-stroke ability as a swimmer enabled her to keep her chum up. Lillian Plunkett went down, and last night searchers had not recovered her body. The canal authorities will be asked today to drain the runway.

Trying out his Christmas present, a sleigh of the flexible steel type, a boy about 10 years old coasted down the west bank of the big lake in Central Park, near Seventy-second Street, late yesterday afternoon. He slid out on the ice for about fifteen feet, and then the ice gave way.

Three older boys—William Cleary of 226 West Fifteenth Street, Joseph Allen and Walter Flinn of 254 West Fifteenth Street—saw the mishap and Cleary and Flinn ran out on the ice and got the lad out. When he reached the shore he was more concerned about his "wonderful" sleigh than about his ducking or his narrow escape, and his rescuers said they'd go back and get it from where it was hanging on the edge of the hole.

Rescuers Rescued in Turn.

But when the three older boys reached the hole the ice cracked under their weight and they dropped into the water. Their shouts brought Fireman Christopher Plunkett of 435 West Forty-eighth Street, and Policeman John McKnight of the Arsenal Station, who got them safely ashore. Meanwhile, the 10-year-old lad disappeared, apparently homeward bound without his sled.

Matthew Knitta, 11 years old, of 77 Beadle Street, Brooklyn, was drowned when he fell through the ice on Cooper's Pond, between Gardner and Stewart Avenues, Brooklyn, yesterday. Richard Geisha, 16 years old, of 71 Beadle Street, fell in at the same time, but was pulled out by James Dascolo of 464 Knap Street and Michael Dass of 963 Metropolitan Avenue, who were passing. The police recovered the Knitta boy's body.

Fireman John Healey of Engine Company 2, Jersey City, plunged into the Morris Canal at the foot of Van Vorst Street late in the afternoon and rescued George Measure, 9 years old, of 146 Morris Street, who had broken through the ice. The boy could swim and managed to keep up in spite of the freezing water until Healey reached the canal. Healey made the plunge with a rope tied about his body. He caught the lad in his arms and other firemen pulled them to the bank.

FLORIDA INFORMATION AT Atlantic Coast Line Railroad office, 1200 B'way (32nd St.). Tel. Longacre 6800.—Advt.

$2,500,000 PAID TO NEW HAVEN ROAD IN $150,000,000 SUIT

Minority Stockholders Accept Compromise From Company's Former Directors.

$833,333.33 COUNSEL FEES

Cause of Action Doubtful, Says Judge Hough in Ordering Settlement of Case.

ROAD APPROVED THE PLAN

Graded Damages Expected to Be Assessed on Group of Prominent Defendants.

An order for discontinuance of the $150,000,000 restitution suit brought by minority stockholders against former officers, directors and counsel of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company was signed yesterday by Judge Charles M. Hough in the Federal District Court, following a compromise whereby the defendants are to pay the New Haven Railroad Company $2,500,000. By permission of the court, $833,333.33 is to be deducted from this amount to pay counsel for the complainants.

In a memorandum attached to the order, Judge Hough points out that through this compromise "the individual defendants are buying their peace from the plaintiffs by paying money to the corporate defendant," and further, that the only interest of the plaintiffs is to procure restitution for the company, along with the recovery of counsel fees and expenses.

The original suit was instituted on Aug. 30, 1916, by Edwin Adams, Julius C. Morse, George C. Fisk, James F. Ray and Mary M. Clark, Massachusetts stockholders. The defendants named were William Rockefeller, Charles M. Pratt, Lewis Cass Ledyard, George MacCulloch Miller, James S. Elton, Henry K. McHarg, Edward D. Robbins, John L. Billard, Robert W. Taft, Charles S. Mellen and J. Pierpont Morgan, Herbert L. Satterlee, William P. Hamilton and Lewis Cass Ledyard as executors under the will of J. Pierpont Morgan, and Florence A. V. Twombly, as executrix under the will of Hamilton McK. Twombly, and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company. Subsequently another group of stockholders represented by James E. Young and Joseph Engle were allowed to intervene.

Order by the Court.

It is pointed out by the court that the petition has been approved on behalf of the New Haven Railroad, and as the proposed compromise appears to the court to be "fair and reasonable," Judge Hough said that he would grant the following order:

"This cause coming on to be heard on the petition of the complainants for leave to compromise and settle the various claims and causes of action set forth in the bill of complaint for the sum of $2,500,000 to be paid by the individuals and estates defendants in this cause to the corporate defendant the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; and it appearing that the complainant George C. Fisk died upward of a year ago and that the said cause of action has not been revived as to him; and due notice of the filing of said petition having been given to the said railroad company and said company having appeared by its duly authorized solicitor and counsel and consented in open court to the making of said compromise and settlement; and it appearing to the court that said proposed compromise and settlement is fair and reasonable and one which the complainants should accept:

It is therefore, on this 28th day of December, A. D. 1920, ordered, adjudged and decreed that the complainants have leave to make said compromise and settlement upon the terms stated, which are hereby approved, and that upon said compromise and settlement being made and the said sum of $2,500,000 paid to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, the defendants, William Rockefeller, Charles M. Pratt, Lewis Cass Ledyard and J. Pierpont Morgan, Herbert L. Satterlee, William P. Hamilton and Lewis Cass Ledyard as executors under the last will and testament of J. Pierpont Morgan, deceased, and Florence A. V. Twombly, as executrix under the last will and testament of Hamilton McK. Twombly, deceased, and each of them, be discharged from any and all further or other liability either joint or several on account of any of the matters or causes of action set up in the said bill of complaint and from any and all further or other liability to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company by reason of any of the said matters or causes of action.

"And it is further ordered that upon the receipt of the said sum of $2,500,000 the defendant, the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, execute and deliver to the the said William Rockefeller, Charles M. Pratt, Lewis Cass Ledyard and J. Pierpont Morgan, Herbert L. Satterlee, William P. Hamilton and Lewis Cass Ledyard as executors under the last will and testament of J. Pierpont Morgan, deceased, and Florence A. V. Twombly as executrix under the last will and testament of Hamilton McK. Twombly, deceased, and each of them, a full and complete release and discharge from any and all further or other liability, either joint or several, on account of any of the matters or causes of action set forth in said bill of complaint and that thereupon this cause be dismissed.

"Leave is reserved to the complainants or their counsel to apply to the Court

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SEX (2) BELL-ANS to a Last Hope Worker for INDIGESTION. Quick relief.—Advt.

Wilson Spends 64th Birthday With Members of His Family

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President Wilson, who entered the White House at the age of 56, celebrated today the sixty-fourth anniversary of his birth, his last birthday before retiring to the life of a private citizen. All of the members of the President's immediate family, with the exception of William G. McAdoo, his son-in-law, spent the day with him.

Many messages of congratulations were received during the day, including one from King George of Great Britain.

Mrs. Wilson entertained at luncheon Miss Marjorie Brown, cousin of Mr. Wilson's first wife, and her fiancé, Benjamin Hill of New York, whose wedding took place tonight at the home of the bride. Mrs. Wilson, with Mrs. McAdoo, Mrs. Sayre and Miss Wilson, attended the wedding.

ENRIGHT PROPOSES U. S. CRIME BUREAU

Denies "Crime Wave" at Conference, but Says "These Are Most Serious Times."

FOR JERSEY SULLIVAN LAW

McCran Would Arm Citizens—"Rabbit Drive for Criminals" Urged.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 28.—Speaking before 200 New Jersey Mayors and county prosecutors at the crime conference called here today by Governor Edwards, Police Commissioner Enright of New York reiterated his declaration that there was no "crime wave" in the country, but added that "these are perhaps the most serious times with which the police departments throughout the country are confronted."

Commissioner Enright made several suggestions for the fighting of criminals in New York City and New Jersey. One was that New Jersey should have a law, similar to the Sullivan law of New York, which would prohibit carrying of weapons without license. He said that many of New York's desperate criminals bought their weapons in New Jersey.

Another suggestion was that bail should be higher.

A third was that all men arrested on suspicion, or on criminal charges, should be held at least twenty-four hours, so that every man could be forced into the line-up at police headquarters for scrutiny of his face and record.

The Commissioner criticised the method of furnishing bonds to criminals by surety companies, and asserted that a surety company got fees "coming and going" in burglary cases—once for insuring property against loss and then for furnishing the bond to the burglar after he had stolen the client's property.

Proposes Federal Crime Bureau.

Another proposal was the establishment of a Federal bureau in Washington to gather and disseminate finger-prints, records and other facts concerning criminals. He would have the New York police notified every time a New York criminal was released from an Illinois prison, and New York would notify New Jersey when it released a man who might be likely to return to that State. The arrival of hundreds of thousands of immigrants brought a new element into the criminal life of this country, Mr. Enright said, and a stronger agency was needed to cope with this new danger of crime—an agency for the dissemination of information, which, he said, was already in existence in many European countries.

This was the most extensive talk on crime conditions made by the Commissioner since his department has been under fire during the so-called "crime wave." He talked more freely than at any time in his own city, and several times he agreed or disagreed with statements of New Jersey officials who had preceded him. As a result, the conference at times verged on debate.

Mr. Enright disagreed with Attorney General McCran, who said every honest citizen ought to be armed to kill any criminal who attempted to rob him. The Attorney General said authority existed by force. The way to check the crime wave was to chase criminals from the State or make resistance so strong that they would be forced to an honest living. Terrorism for criminals instead of for householders and travelers he said, would teach robbers to respect the law.

Citizens' Duty to Use Arms.

"No citizen ought to go out on a dark road at night unarmed," said the Attorney General, "and it is his duty to use arms if necessary. When Commissioner Enright spreads his net to drive criminals out of New York, we must not spread our net to keep them in and take care of them. We should make New Jersey too dangerous for them to enter at all."

Governor Edwards favored some measure similar to the Sullivan law, and said that in nine cases out of ten New York criminals had bought their weapons in New Jersey. He was authorized by the conference to appoint a committee to formulate such a measure for presentation to the New Jersey Legislature next month.

Checking of all automobiles and vehicles entering New Jersey was proposed by the Governor, as well as rechecking of these vehicles at bridges and other bypasses along the State highways. He said he would appoint William L. Dill, State Motor Vehicle Commissioner, to supervise this work in conjunction with sheriffs and prosecutors in all counties. He would call on members of the American Legion to fight criminals through-

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3 TRAPPED IN AUTO AS BANK ROBBERS; HUNDREDS LOOK ON

Detectives With Drawn Pistols Rush Suspects in Crowded Street—Fight Follows.

TWO WOMEN ALSO TAKEN

Two Men Admit Milltown Robbery—Fingerprints Link Them With Westchester Crimes.

WEAPONS FOUND IN BAGGAGE

Aldermen Defeat Police Increase Bond Issue—$9,000 Jewelry Hold-Up Is Revealed.

In the arrest yesterday of three men at Broadway and Seventy-second Street, two of whom admitted participating in the robbery of the First National Bank at Milltown, N. J., ten days ago, Inspector Coughlin, head of the Detective Bureau, believes he may solve the mystery of many robberies in Westchester County clubs and residences in the last ten months.

The three men were seated in an automobile in front of the St. Andrew's Hotel when three Detective Sergeants with drawn pistols ordered them to put up their hands. At the same time two other Detective Sergeants stopped a taxicab containing two stylishly dressed women as they were driving off from the Seventy-second Street entrance to the hotel and seized four handbags, one of which contained two pistols.

The arrest of the three men was witnessed by hundreds of passersby, many of whom believed it to be another daring holdup. The three men and the two women were taken to Police Headquarters, where Inspector Coughlin said they gave their names as Jerome B. Chaffee, 31 years old, of 203 West 113th Street, his wife, Rose Claire, 26, of the same address; Harry Bitzburger, 30, and his wife, Vera, 24, and Chester B. Levine, 24, all of 238 West Seventy-third Street.

Andrews Murder Witnesses Called.

Soon after the prisoners reached headquarters, Inspector Coughlin sent for witnesses to the holdup and killing of Edwin A. Andrews, a jeweler, in his place of business on the eighth floor of 542 Fifth Avenue on the afternoon of Dec. 16 last, but after they confronted Chaffee and Bitzburger the witnesses declared the men were not the slayers.

The women said the pistols found in the satchels were owned by their husbands. Inspector Coughlin said Chaffee and Bitzburger admitted having served terms in the Federal Prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for crimes committed in the army, and that they participated in the Milltown Bank robbery, which resulted in the arrest of "Sailor" Voorhees and Walter Watson, formerly seamen in the navy, by armed civilians. Voorhees and Watson now are serving indeterminate terms of from seven to ten years each, having been convicted and sentenced within eighteen hours of their arrest.

Levine told detectives he owned the automobile in which the three men were arrested, but denied any knowledge of the Milltown robbery. He said he met the men in a restaurant at Broadway and Forty-ninth Street several months ago, and that they had asked him to meet him in front of the hotel yesterday to accompany them to a bank where he was to obtain $100 for them. The two men and two women, he said, contemplated leaving the city for Pittsburgh.

Levine Held as Accomplice.

Levine, Chaffee and Bitzburger were locked up, however, as fugitives from New Jersey, and, according to the Headquarters blotter entry, Levine was acquased of acting in concert with Chaffee and Bitzburger in disposing of securities stolen from the Milltown bank.

While finger-printing Chaffee and Bitzburger, detectives discovered the finger-prints corresponded with those of burglars who last Summer committed a series of robberies in Westchester County. Inspector Coughlin refused to say, however, whether he suspected the prisoners of participating in the robbery of the Sleepy Hollow Country Club, at Scarsborough-on-the-Hudson, on the night of Oct. 14 last, when Mrs. Clarence E. Chapman of 820 Park Avenue and Mrs. Charles E. Danforth, wife of a broker, were robbed of jewelry valued at $100,000.

The arrest of Chaffee and Bitzburger was brought about through a tip received by Inspector Coughlin from the Pinkerton Detective Agency, which was investigating the Milltown robbery. The Pinkertons learned that a man was endeavoring to dispose of some of the securities to brokers in the financial district. They assigned operatives to trail the man, and when the suspect was seen to enter a boarding house in West Seventy-third Street, near Broadway, the Pinkerton Agency communicated with Inspector Coughlin. He assigned five detective sergeants to the case.

Shortly after noon yesterday, two of the detectives, standing at Broadway and Seventy-third Street, saw Mrs. Chaffee and Mrs. Bitzburger enter a taxicab. They followed the cab to the entrance of the St. Andrew's Hotel, where, with the women still inside, it waited more than half an hour, when Chaffee and Levine drove up in a touring car. In a few minutes Bitzburger came along, telephoned to somebody from a booth in a cigar store, and then entered the touring car. He had just seated himself beside Chaffee when the three detectives covered them with pistols.

Bitzburger started to jump from the car, but one of the detectives struck

him on the head with his pistol. Chaffee went to Bitsburger's aid, and for the next few minutes the detectives and Bitsburger and Chaffee engaged in a scuffle. Irvine remained in the automobile. After being subdued the three men and two women were taken to Police Headquarters.

After the women were questioned they were released. Inspector Coughlin said they admitted they knew their husbands were ex-convicts, but denied they knew the pistols were in the satchels or that their husbands had participated in the Milltown robbery. Mrs. Bitsburger said she was married at Lancaster, Pa., ten weeks ago, and that she was the daughter of a prominent family in that city. Mrs. Chaffee said she was married in this city two years ago, soon after her husband's release from Leavenworth.

$19,000 Securities Recovered.

Inspector Coughlin said about $10,000 worth of securities, believed to be part of the Milltown bank loot, had been recovered within the last two days. He said detectives visited the furnished room occupied by the Bitsburgers, and that they had obtained additional evidence of the connection of Chaffee and Bitsburger with the bank robbery.

"We are more concerned in connecting Chaffee and Bitsburger with the Westchester County robberies," said Inspector Coughlin. "We believe we have captured two desperate bandits, and that within a few days many robberies throughout the metropolitan area will be traced to them."

The detectives who arrested Chaffee and Bitsburger said they believed the men admitted their part in the New Jersey bank robbery for fear they would be connected with a more serious crime in this State.

CRIME STIRS WESTCHESTER.

Motor Patrols of Citizens to Cruise County Towns.

Special to The New York Times.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 28.—According to the plans of the White Plains Chamber of Commerce, which will be followed up by other similar organizations throughout Westchester County, citizen patrols will be formed in the county to help put down the crime wave. Already more than thirty-five prominent residents of White Plains have organized themselves into a special society which will carry out the plan of patrolling certain districts of the city in addition to the city police.

The Citizens' Patrol of White Plains is the name of the new organization, and with the aid of the State troopers it is planned to wipe out all organized bands of bootleggers and gamblers that have been operating in the county. Some of the members will use automobiles and motorcycles while others will use bicycles. Just who will comprise the Citizens' Patrol of White Plains and other parts of the county will not be known, and according to the plan the citizens will change their patrol each evening.

CHICAGO POLICE ACTIVE, BUT CRIME CONTINUES

Jewelry Store Robbed and Several Men Held Up as 100 More Are Rounded Up in Raids.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Nearly a hundred men picked up in the last twenty-four hours by special squads of police scooting through the city in high-powered cars were locked up at the Detective Bureau tonight. Two, Bernard Poale and John McElliott, both 16 years of age, confessed that the two revolvers and the steel saw blades in their pockets were in preparation for robbing a hardware store.

Before the falling temperature drove them from the streets, the criminals started the night by holding up a citizen at the corner of Michigan Boulevard and Van Buren Street. Within sight of dozens of persons going to hotels or theatres, two men, with a quick display of revolvers and few words, robbed Albert Dougherty of a dollar and his watch and then raced away in an automobile.

Shortly afterward two thugs pounced on Alderman Leo C. Klein as he stood in front of the Academy of Sciences. They knocked him down and broke his nose and blackened an eye. They robbed him of $45 and jewelry valued at $350.

Jewelry valued at $25,000 and $100 in cash were obtained by four hold-up men tonight in the jewelry store of August Heurich, at 3,057 Lincoln Avenue.

They wanted to look at diamond lavelliers and watches. Heurich's son, Walter, unlocked the safe, and as he turned with the trays the men leveled revolvers at him. He told the police they got 100 lavalliers, five watches and eight trays of rings.

CATCH 5 IN PISTOL BATTLE.

Orange Police Round Up Men Suspected of Planning Rum Theft.

Special to The New York Times.

ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 28.—Pistol shots were freely exchanged, but no one was injured, early today when police rounded up five men who were alleged to have been acting suspiciously near the home of Andrew Norelli, at 11 Henry Street.

Norelli, who was said to have liquor valued at $20,000 stored in his cellar under a Government permit, telephoned the police about 1 o'clock this morning that men were loitering in front of his place in a suspicious manner. Five policemen answered. They arrested Harry White of Newark in front of the house. On information furnished by him they went to Lincoln and Central Avenues, where they discovered an auto truck, in charge of a man giving the name of Benjamin Flager of Newark, who was also arrested.

As the policemen were returning to Norelli's home, where they had left two officers, an automobile drove up and six men alighted. The police ordered them to halt, and three of them, it is said, drew revolvers and opened fire. Then began a pistol battle from behind trees, which lasted until the assailants had used up their bullets. The police captured three, who gave their names as Frank Seifert, Louis Millman and Harry Noll, all of Newark.

Police of neighboring places were notified of the escape of the others, and the authorities of East Orange arrested a man giving the name of William Bailes of Newark, who, according to the police, fitted the description of one of the men.

The prisoners will be arraigned tomorrow before Judge Bianchi.

VILLAGERS FORM GUARD.

Wappingers Falls Prepares to Take Care of Criminals.

Special to The New York Times.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Dec. 28.—Residents of Wappingers Falls, a village about seven miles south of this city, have formed a vigilance committee to guard their village, and members of the committee, fully armed, are to be stationed on all roads leading into and out of Wappingers Falls.

Hold-ups along the State roads north of this city, in the vicinity of Rhinebeck and Staatsburg, have been so frequent that motorists have banded together to refuse aid to any motorist in trouble whom they may meet, fearing the stranded car may be a trap. South of the city there have been similar cases, resulting in the action of Wappinger's Falls.

Just what plan has been adopted by the vigilance committee has not been announced, but members state that the instant a crime is committed word will be flashed to the men on duty in the different outposts and no one will be allowed to leave the village who cannot give a good explanation of where he has been.

The villagers, many of whom saw service in France with the American forces, feel that they can cope with the automobile crooks.

ALDERMEN REFUSE 769 MORE POLICE

Reject Special Bond Issue Proposal by Vote of 41 to 24.

ENRIGHT IS CRITICISED

Adopt Motion to Reconsider Action Next Tuesday—$9,000 Jewel Robbery Revealed.

While Police Commissioner Richard E. Enright at the State-wide conference in Trenton, N. J., was pleading yesterday for measures whereby he said the sister State and the Federal Government could aid in the suppression of crimes of violence, the Board of Aldermen in New York turned down his appeal for 769 more patrolmen in addition to the 500 new men for whom provision has been made in the 1921 budget.

Because of Commissioner Enright's absence the fight in behalf of an issue of $1,360,361 in special revenue bonds to pay for the extra men was led by Acting Commissioner John A. Leach. The measure had passed the Board of Estimate over the opposition of F. H. La Guardia, President of the Board of Aldermen, and no great difficulty in inducing the Aldermen to provide the necessary funds had been expected.

The Administration forces behind the appropriation managed to pass a motion to reconsider the action next Tuesday. The vote yesterday was 41 in favor and 24 against. Fifty-five votes in favor—a two-thirds majority—are required to effect the bond issue, and there was no indication last night that the reconsideration would result in favorable action unless the Commissioner should be able to sway some of the Republican and Socialist members who combined against his project.

Had Made Plans for Training.

Mr. Enright already had announced plans for the opening of an elaborate school of recruits whereby he hoped to put 730 men on patrol by March 1. Eighty probationers now are undergoing training and two new classes of 350 each were to have been opened immediately after Jan. 1. As things stand now, the Commissioner lawfully can increase his department by only 500 men—420 in addition to those now being trained. He made no statement upon his return to the city as to his course in view of the board's unfavorable action, but at headquarters it was predicted that he would make vigorous efforts to get every man for whom he asked.

In the discussion of the proposed revenue issue, the Republicans generally objected on the ground of the city's bad financial condition, making plain at the same time their belief that continuing outbreaks of lawlessness are due to the inefficiency of those at the top of the department and not to lack of enough patrolmen. The Socialists based their opposition upon the charge as expressed by Alderman I. Abraham J. Shipiacoff that the police were unable to subdue criminals because they used their machinery instead to fight strikers.

Alderman William T. Collins, the Democratic leader, put through the motion to reconsider, although President F. H. LaGuardia actively opposed it. Deputy Commissioner Leach told the Aldermen that the August Grand Jury had recommended 2,500 additional patrolmen, but because the city's financial condition only 500 additional men were provided for in the 1921 budget.

"Whether increase of crime in this city is a fact or is due to hysteria and fear in the public mind is a question," said Deputy Commissioner. "We want these men. The present state of public opinion is such that if a crime is committed in a hotel or a store they think we ought to be able to control it."

Explains Squad System.

The Deputy Commissioner explained that the nine-squad patrol system had been reinstated and that every policeman had to do eight hours patrol duty every day in the year with reserve duty in the station house. Under the ten-squad patrol system, started by Commissioner Enright, the patrolmen, he said, had one day off every week.

In voting against the resolution Alderman Robert Starr Allyn of Brooklyn declared that it was Commissioner Enright who was hysterical. He said he believed Enright wanted more policemen in order to quiet his nerves.

While admitting that he believed the present trouble in the Police Department was due to the inefficiency of the present Commissioner, and that he should be removed, Borough President Henry H. Curran declared that additional men were needed. He said his neighborhood and several serious crimes had been committed within a short time, and that his neighbors were clamoring for better police protection. President LaGuardia said new men could not be trained before next June.

Doe, it was believed, to Mr. Enright's attention being engaged by the Trenton conference, yesterday was the first day since the department began an intensive warfare on criminals that no unusual new measure of protection was announced.

Department heads were principally engaged with several captures which they thought represented a good day's work. Chief in importance they regarded the arrest of three men whom they accused in connection with the Milltown (N. J.) bank robbery a few days ago, which resulted in two others, caught at the time, being sentenced to long prison terms sixteen hours after the burglary.

Next in importance, the police thought, was the arrest of Frank Flanagan of 342 East Forty-eighth Street, on the charge of being involved in the holdup and robbery last month of David Saylor, a messenger for the Provident Loan Society of 734 Seventh Avenue. Saylor said he had been assaulted at Forty-seventh Street and Seventh Avenue by four men, who took from him $60,000 worth of diamonds, escaping in a taxicab. Saylor, himself an ex-convict, was held on the charge of being implicated in the crime.

Was Once in Death House.

Flanagan, who was said by the police to be a brother of one of the managers of the Blue Bird rathskeller in East Fourteenth Street, near which Monk Eastman, gangster, was slain last Sunday morning, served a term in Elmira and another in Sing Sing for grand larceny.

Flanagan was sent to the death house in June, 1919, by Judge Thomas T. C. Crain of the Court of General Sessions on conviction of the murder of Patrick Mulhearn, a bartender, who was shot in a saloon at Park Avenue and 116th Street. After sixteen months, Flanagan's counsel obtained a retrial, which ended in his acquittal. Flanagan was arrested in 1919 for the murder of Mulhearn while he was out on bail awaiting a trial on a charge of attempted robbery. He has not yet stood trial on this count, the police say.

Detectives Sheedy and Flood arrested Flanagan, but would not tell how they connected him with the Saylor affair. It was admitted that Saylor had not identified him as one of the assailants who took the gems from him in broad morning light.

As on previous days since Commissioner Enright in an interview said all crime news was available to the public, news of robberies and the like seemed to transpire through the arrest or arraignment of alleged criminals, or through independent sources where disclosures were made of complaints previously concealed by the police.

The poultry market of Rankin & Rose, at 1,305 Amsterdam Avenue was robbed Wednesday night, according to a member of the firm, who said the thieves got 1,300 pounds of poultry and $88 from his cash register. Mr. Rankin said he found the rear door smashed in next morning, but the patrolman on the post had not discovered it nor had he heard the squawking of the fowl as they were removed. He complained to the police Thursday morning, he said.

Reported Hold-Up of Crap Game.

Detectives from the Old Slip Station yesterday were endeavoring to obtain information about the reported hold-up of a crap game in the cellar of 25 Broad Street on Christmas Eve, during which nineteen clerks employed by curb brokers were alleged to have been robbed of $1,800. The youths, it was reported, were gambling with bonuses received from their employers at the close of the market Friday, when four strangers entered with pistols in their hands and ordered them to line up against the wall.

One of the bandits, it was said, relieved the nineteen clerks of their money and valuables and, backing to the stairway leading to the street, escaped. None of the victims of the alleged hold-up made an outcry because, it was said, they did not want their employers to know they were gambling with the bonuses. Nor did they make a report of the holdup to the police.

A daring jewel robbery, in which alleged gem purchasers beat a young South American and escaped with $9,000 worth of jewels they pretended to want to buy from him, did not come to light till yesterday, though it occurred on Monday.

William Beauchef, formerly of Valparaiso, who lives with his mother in Newark, advertised that he had some jewelry for sale and received an answer from two young men who, a few days previously, had engaged rooms at 17 West Eighty-fourth Street, representing themselves as sons of a rich Cuban sugar planter and saying they wanted to move from the Hotel Astonia because they were studying at Columbia University and wanted to be nearer their classrooms. The men gave names which detectives of the West Sixty-eighth Street Station think are fictitious.

Beauchef called at the rooms and, impressed by the young men's appearance and reassured by their statement that the Cuban Consul would vouch for them, said he had brought along $2,000 worth of gems and had $12,000 worth at home of which his mother wished to dispose. The two young men asked if he wouldn't call on Monday with the entire assortment and a deal could be arranged then.

Beauchef called and placed the jewels on the table. He was conversing with one of the youths when the other came up from behind and with a club made of two pieces of broomstick bound together with tape and encased in a towel, struck the owner of the jewels on the back of the head. The blow stunned the youth, and as he fell the thieves seized the jewels, grabbed their grips and dashed down the stairs, spilling $3,000 worth of the gems on the stairs in their haste and escaping with the other $9,000 worth.

Four men charged with having participated in the robbery on Dec. 13 of John Guiness, driver of a milk wagon, at 150th Street and Macomb's Dam Road, were implicated in a number of New Jersey hold-ups, according to the police, who said ten New Jersey hold-up victims identified them in Washington Heights prison yesterday.

A covered wagon going through West Third Street and manned by two young men at 2 o'clock yesterday morning was found by Detectives O'Connell and Mahoney of the Mercer Street Station to contain $5,000 worth of clothing which the two young men were charged with stealing from the loft of Benjamin Garbulsky, 111 Bleecker Street. The two described themselves as Frank Ambrosina, of 172 West Houston Street, and Carmle Babbina, of 417 East Broadway. The detectives said Ambrosina declared they committed the burglary to start the new year right. The two pleaded guilty in Jefferson Market Court.

Charges Three With Robbing Him.

Peter Guy of 42 Thompson Street appeared in Harlem Court as complainant against John Costello of 269 Tenth Avenue, his brother Risa of 50 Union Street, Brooklyn, and their cousin, John B. Costello of 290 East 103d Street. Magistrate Ten Eyck held them in $3,000 bail each on charges of robbery, after Guy testified he was celebrating Christmas at the home of John B. Costello, when suddenly the three set upon him and took $250. He said he was badly beaten and thrown into a hallway. The men denied the robbery charge, saying Guy started the fight.

When five men who were arrested following a shooting last Saturday night, in front of the Owl Café, at 216 East Ninety-seventh Street, were arraigned before Magistrate Ten Eyck in Harlem Court, the court was informed that John Marino, 20 years old, of 219 East 101st Street, who had also been arrested, had died this morning in the Metropolitan Hospital. The original charge of suspicion of felonious assault against the five was changed to suspicion of homicide and they were held without bail for a hearing tomorrow.

George L. King, charged with the robbery of Henry Fettel in the latter's home at 187 Linden Avenue, Brooklyn, was held yesterday in $150,000 bail for trial by Judge Haskell in the Kings County Court. King, who was arrested on Christmas Day by Detective James McCarthy of the Flatbush Station, is under indictment for grand larceny, assault and illegally carrying a pistol. Mr. Fettel, a retired real estate broker, was attacked in his home on Nov. 22 by two alleged pals of King and robbed of $3,000 worth of jewelry.

King became acquainted with Mr. Fettel at a hotel in the Adirondacks. He is said to have planned the robbery and to have acted as "lookout" outside the Fettel home while the crime was being committed. One of King's accomplices was caught by a policeman after leaving the house. The third man has not been arrested.

Held Two Youths for $6,000 Thefts.

Detectives under Captain Daniel Moriarity in Brooklyn, last night arrested two youths, who are alleged to have admitted committing eight burglaries netting $6,000 in the last three weeks so as to get money for a "good time in Broadway." They are Frank Loehrs, 19 years old, of 462 Hart Street, and Phillip Blum, 21 years old, same address, both clerks.

At the Hart Street address, the police said, were jewelry and clothing to the value of $3,500, with two flashlights, two jimmies and three skeleton keys. The police said the youths admitted robbing the apartments of Benjamin Falkowits and Edward Stoddard at 1,004 Dekalb Avenue, and David Chandler of 1,003 Dekalb Avenue. These burglaries occurred yesterday and had not been reported to the police when the young men confessed them, the police said.

The men also admitted, according to the police, burglaries in Atlantic Avenue, East New York, Chestnut Street, Bensonville and St. John's Place, in the Sterling Heights section.

The two were held without bail for the Grand Jury on charges of burglary by Magistrate Dale in the Gates Avenue Court yesterday. Asked about a burglary at 886 Broadway, Brooklyn, the youths admitted entering that place, the police said, but denied taking anything, saying that they saw two revolvers under a pillow in a bedroom and left. Acting on this information furnished by the alleged burglars, the police arrested John Ciccio of the Broadway address, who was held in $1,000 bail for hearing Thursday on a charge of violating the Sullivan law.

ASKS EFFICIENT POLICE.

Union Republican Club Wants Woods's Methods Restored.

The Union Republican Club of the Eighteenth Assembly District, with headquarters at 1,536 Madison Avenue, made public yesterday the following resolution calling upon Mayor Hylan to restore the Police Department to the efficiency of the days when Colonel Arthur Woods was Police Commissioner:

"Whereas conditions in the City of New York are such today that the life, limb and property of this community are imperiled because lawlessness is unrestrained by the laxity of the police; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we recommend to the Mayor of the City of New York that immediate steps be taken to place the Police Department of the City of New York on the high and efficient plane that it maintained during the incumbency of Arthur C. Woods as Police Commissioner; and be it further

"Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to the Mayor of the City of New York for immediate action."

IDENTIFY DEATH CAR AS BISHOP BURCH'S

Police Trace License Number E-77 Through Office of Secretary of State.

USED WITHOUT PERMISSION

Number Again Changed to E-94 as Result of Murder Due to Negro Chauffeur's Party.

The automobile which figured in the murder and suicide of a man and woman, both negroes, at 130th Street and Seventh Avenue, Monday night, was found yesterday to have been the property of the late Bishop Charles Sumner Burch. It had been used without permission by Charles Brown, the negro chauffeur, who lives at 123 West 131st Street. He had been in the employ of Bishop Burch for several months.

Brown limped home yesterday morning with a bullet wound in his leg, and was arrested. He convinced the police of the West 135th Street Station that he had nothing to do with the shooting, and was released. On Monday night, he said, he was told he would not be needed until the next day, and drove the car to his home, where he got Mrs. Lucille Amos, 20 years old, and Ethel Jackson, both of whom live in the house, and Bessie Harper of 454 Lenox Avenue.

He said he drove to a moving picture house, where Mrs. Amos told him that her husband, from whom she had been separated, was following them and that he had better drive on. He said they returned to the 131st Street house, then later went for another ride.

While going up Seventh Avenue shortly before midnight at about 130th Street, he said, Raymond Amos, who had been living at 2,441 Seventh Avenue, jumped on the running board. Mrs. Amos told Brown to call a policeman, and Brown swerved the car toward the curb.

"You won't call any policeman for me," cried Amos, and pulling out an automatic pistol fired at his wife, according to Brown. The bullet went through her breast. Then he fired at Brown, the bullet chipping his leg. Brown jumped out and ran, and the other two girls followed him. Amos then shot himself, Brown said.

When the automobile was found an attempt was made to trace its ownership through the records at Police Headquarters. The number E-77 was not on the police list, nor was not until the Automobile Bureau of the Secretary of State's office opened that it was found that the car had belonged to the late Bishop Burch. He had had the number changed recently because, he had explained, traffic policemen seemed to look for reproof automobiles with high numbers.

Secretary of State Hugo arranged to have the number changed to E-77, which was the reason it did not appear on the police list. Mr. Hugo recalled that Bishop Burch had said he was much pleased with the new number, as "E" stood for Episcopalian, and 7 was not only a lucky number, but one that had religious significance.

The car was taken to the Secretary of State's office yesterday by detectives, who told the officials Bishop Burch's family desired to change the number again, so E-94 was attached to the car.

Amos was identified by physicians at the Harlem Hospital as having been there for treatment for insomnia last October. He served overseas with Colonel William Hayward's negro regiment, the 365th Infantry, formerly the old Fifteenth New York.

CITIZENS POLICE RIDGEWOOD.

50 With Military Experience Form 10 Auto Squads.

RIDGEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 28.—Fifty special officers, drawn from the citizens of Ridgewood with military experience, were sworn in at a meeting of the City Commissioners tonight, to be subject to call for any emergency growing out of the crime wave. The men have been organized into squads of five, and one of each squad furnishes an automobile for his squad.

The men will be armed with regulation side arms and will be under the Department of Public Safety, Mayor John B. Hopper and Superintendent of Police Fred Blackshaw.

TOLD TO SHOOT TO KILL.

Toledo Police Ordered to Arrest Every Suspicious Character.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 28.—More than a score of plain clothes policemen were sent out tonight with instructions to arrest every suspicious character found and to shoot to kill if necessary.

The order, issued by George P. Greenhalgh, Director of Public Safety, followed a week of hold-ups and robberies in which a number of citizens were severely beaten by footpads.

ACCUSE AMERICAN IN PARIS.

"L. S. Mortimer's" Checks Not Honored by Bank, It Is Charged.

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PARIS, Dec. 28.—L. S. Mortimer, an American and a Director of the International Trust Syndicate, has been charged with writing checks without sufficient funds to honor them by the Italo-Belgian Bank. Bank officials advanced 826,000 francs against Mortimer's check for $50,000 on the Guaranty Trust Company of New York. They say payment on the check was not met.

Mortimer, aged 26, has been living in a luxurious apartment near the Bois de Boulogne and owned several race horses. He said he came from Rhode Island, and asserted that his father was a brother of wealthy bankers in New York.

The police say Mortimer's real name is Stromburg, and that he changed it during the war.

CROOKS USE HYLAN'S NAME.

Letter Purported to Be Signed by Mayor Used to Sell Tickets.

Criminals in New York are getting so bold that they are even using Mayor Hylan's name to defraud. That fact became known yesterday, when the Mayor made public a copy of a letter purported to have been signed by himself and circulated to get money on an alleged boxing bout and smoker which it said was to be held in Los Angeles in January. The letter carries the caption "B. P. O. Elks, 339," and with it go two tickets for $1 each.

A statement given out by John F. Sinnott, the Mayor's secretary, on which was written "Pittsburgh papers please copy," said:

"This letter is unauthorized and is a fraud upon the public. The attention of the police and Post Office authorities has been called to its circulation through the mails."

ALLEGED ASTOR BANDIT HELD IN PHILADELPHIA

Carl Wehner of This City Admits Identity, but Denies Guilt—Will Fight Extradition.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—A man who gave his name as Carl Wehner, 34 years old, of New York, alleged to be one of the three gunmen who committed a robbery on the second floor of the Hotel Astor three weeks ago, was arrested tonight at Ninth and Market Streets by Detective Stillman of the Central Office.

Wehner was taken into custody after Captain Souder, chief of detectives, had received a "tip" that the man would be in that neighborhood shortly after 6 o'clock. Stillman had a description and photograph of the alleged bandit.

Detective Flaherty of New York arrived at headquarters at the same time that Stillman brought in his prisoner. Wehner admitted his identity, but denied that he had taken part in the robbery. He will fight extradition.

Wehner, the police say, served an eighteen months prison term in Columbus, Ohio, under the name of Charles Villemin. He came to this city shortly after the crime accompanied by two men and two women.

POLICE FAIL TO FIND EASTMAN MURDERER

Companions in Restaurant Sought —Dead Man to Receive Military Funeral.

Despite their early morning optimism, the police yesterday did not arrest the slayer of Monk Eastman, veteran gang leader, whose regeneration was supposed to have been worked by his military service until he was shot down Sunday morning at Fourteenth Street and Fourth Avenue and the authorities began to divulge what they knew of his recent record.

In contrast to the prediction of an arrest within a few hours, made early yesterday morning after detectives had questioned for many hours employes of the Blue Bird rathskeller, outside which Eastman was killed, no definite forecast as to when the slayer would be taken into custody was obtainable last night. The police still were sure the suspect, an old crony of Eastman's and a member of his own gang, "has not left New York," but it was obvious that their information did not extend to his present whereabouts.

When it was suggested at Headquarters that something over thirty-six hours elapsed between the commission of the crime and the questioning of witnesses and that the criminal—if there was but one—had had ample time to flee far from New York, it was said the police did not believe their case had been weakened by the lapse of time as they had to "work it out in our own way."

It was admitted last night that instead of being reasonably certain as to the motive for the shooting, as they thought they were just after Eastman's body was found, the motive now possibly would remain in doubt until the shooter was apprehended. The police still were disinclined to discuss the theory that Eastman, who had been asked to give information by at least two of the departments of criminal investigation in the department, was killed by a man who believed he had given such information and who murdered him as an informer. They were still inquiring as to Eastman's alleged relapse into the underworld and his rumored activities as a drug runner and "hootch" peddler and were inclined to believe that a quarrel with a partner in one of these activities was the immediate forerunner of the shooting.

After the police had questioned for eight hours the two waiters and the cashier of the Blue Bird, whom they held as material witnesses, these three were examined at length by Assistant District Attorney John R. Hennis, in charge of the homicide bureau of the District Attorney's office.

Mr. Hennis said the questioning had developed that Eastman went to the Blue Bird from Brooklyn with six of his boon companions. The shooting, he said, in the belief of the authorities, was done by a seventh man, who was not one of the party who had sat long about a big table in the rathskeller. He declared the police were hunting for the six men, and also were searching for the automobile, but admitted that none of he seven persons the police were most interested in interviewing had been picked up by them. Neither had they found the big automobile which brought six of the seven to the café.

Mr. Hennis also examined J. A. Ayres, the printer, who is the only eyewitness thus far found, although he has declared numbers of others witnessed the shooting.

Funeral services for the dead man will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body is at the undertaking establishment of A. C. Yannaco, 348 Metropolitan Avenue, Brooklyn. The body is dressed in the uniform of the United States Army, and on the left breast is the American Legion wounded men's button with a silver crest in the centre. The insignia of the Twenty-seventh Division is on the left shoulder, three service stripes on the left sleeve and two wound stripes on the right sleeve. On a silver plate on the coffin is inscribed Eastman's name with the date of his birth and death, and underneath "Our lost pal. Gone, but not forgotten."

Two of Eastman's "buddies" in France, John J. Boland, of 198 Broadway, and Hank Miller, Platoon Sergeant, will pay the expenses of the funeral. Burial will be in an army plot in Cypress Hill Cemetery. A military escort of members of the 108th Infantry Post, American Legion, will escort the body to the grave, a volley will be fired after the body is lowered into its last resting place.

Not long after the body was removed from the Morgue a man in the uniform of the United States Navy, who said he was a chief petty officer aboard one of the battleships, called at the Morgue and asked to see Eastman's body. When told that it had already been removed, the man said:

"I'm sorry I didn't have the chance to see him again. It was 'Monk' Eastman who set me going straight. I met him twenty years ago on the Bowery. I was a sailor then and what he had to say to me made a big difference."

The man refused to give his name or the name of the battleship where he was assigned to duty.

A married sister living in Brooklyn was expected to claim Eastman's body, but the Medical Examiner surrendered it to his friends when she failed to appear.

DEATH MYSTERY UNSOLVED.

Funeral of J. F. McGuinness, Found Dead, Held in Jersey City.

Government agents continued yesterday their investigation into the mystery of the death of Squad Chief James F. McGuinness of the Prohibition Department of this city, whose body was found last Friday on the waterfront at Bayonne, N. J., with a bullet wound in the right temple. On the theory he was murdered by a bootlegger, the agents have followed every known clue, but so far without any definite results.

The funeral of McGuinness was held yesterday morning in St. Aedan's Roman Catholic Church, Tuers Avenue, near Mercer Street, Jersey City, following services in his late home, 333 Summit Avenue. Solemn mass was said by the Rev. Roger McGinley. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives, including prohibition agents and other employes of the Prohibition Department.

YOUNG TRAIN BANDITS CAUGHT AFTER BATTLE

Barricade Themselves in Station After Robbing Pullman Peasengers—One Is Wounded.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—For the third time in a year, robbers tonight boarded the New Orleans-Chicago Fast Mail of the Illinois Central, took possession of the rear Pullman sleeper, and relieved twenty-five passengers of $500 in cash and $1,500 in jewelry. They were quickly captured.

The two bandits boarded the train at Gilman, eighty miles south of Chicago. The passengers, who arrived here at 10 o'clock, asserted the robbers were amateurs. They were extremely nervous and youthful, and acted as if they had absorbed much dime novel literature. They pressed a flagman and a newsboy into service to search passengers. These involuntary helpers proved derelict, and in consequence the passengers retained more money and valuables than they lost. The searchers invariably overlooked fat wallets in hip-pockets and talked the robbers out of their announced design of searching the lisle banks.

The largest enforced contribution was made by A. C. Booth, the Pullman Company conductor, who handed over $200 of the company's receipts.

As the train slowed down for the crossing near the State Insane Asylum at Kankakee, the robbers jumped from the train and disappeared into the darkness. Railroad detectives and police quickly went in pursuit, and a little before midnight traced the bandits to the waiting room of the interurban station at the village of Aroma, where the fugitives barricaded themselves in a small room. A revolver duel ensued, the bullets passing through the door until one of the bandits was wounded. Then both surrendered.

They gave the names of Jake Scott and Joe Scott. Jake Scott is the wounded man and his injuries are said to be serious. Both gave Greenville, Ill., as their address.

DESERTS BRIDE OF WEEK.

Pseudo 'Eddie Rickenbacker' Leaves New York Girl in Chicago.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 28.—The man who, posing as Eddie Rickenbacker, the noted American aviator, married a New York girl here last week, has deserted his bride in Chicago, the young woman informed her mother today.

The pseudo Rickenbacker is said to have been a groom from a wealthy man's St. Augustine stables. Posing as the noted American airman, he was quickly admitted in the best society and won a bride.

"There will be a great exodus from Europe. There is now. We have a great deal of information on that. They will move in here very rapidly, many of them not through our own ports, but over the borders of Mexico and Canada. We have got to make provision for this new situation and we have got to handle it in a big way. It cannot be handled by New York alone, nor by New Jersey alone. It has got to be handled by a very much stronger agency, and that is the great agency of the United States Government. Is there anything more important than the establishment of a central police bureau in the City of Washington? We can establish a Bureau of Commerce and Labor, and afterward get a Cabinet officer. We can establish a Bureau of Agriculture, and afterward get a Cabinet officer; but is there any one thing so essential to the welfare of the people of this country as our lives and property and the peace of the country, and is there anything so essential as to have an agency that will cope with those who openly avow that they want to destroy all government, and particularly a Government such as we have here?"

Edwards Recognizes "Crime Wave."

Governor Edwards said his idea in calling the conference "was to put some check upon and do away with the crime wave" and to get co-operation of States and towns toward that end. He said the large Jersey cities were well policed and that "the particular need lies in the outlying districts—the country towns." He would seek the co-operation of country officers with "the young men who have been abroad and are now home and waiting to help do things in New Jersey that will make the State stand for something more than it has stood for."

The Governor said he would have all criminal records gathered in some central place in the State, and some agency established so that news of movements of suspicious persons could be scattered among the police when these suspects started to travel in the State.

Commissioner Dill, the State official named by the Governor to initiate this movement, then read the following suggestions of the Governor:

"I would request that railroad companies to make a full record of every motor vehicle crossing the Hudson ferries. This would cover our entire eastern boundary. I would make a like request at the Camden ferries. Proceeding up our western boundary, I would have similar records made and kept at the toll bridges at Trenton and so on up the Delaware to the New York State boundary.

"I would designate these representatives as special motor vehicle inspectors and have them inspect the licenses of every driver who entered the State and make a record of it, and where the inspection develops suspicious circumstances the police should be called in.

"As each municipality is usually entered by not more than two or three roads, I would have those entrances and exits watched from 12 midnight until 8 A. M. and so much longer as might be found necessary. In these cases licenses should be examined and drivers interrogated.

"I would take the same course at every bridge, especially such as are found at Perth Amboy, New Brunswick, Trenton, Passaic, Jersey City, Newark and other points.

The Governor said he would also suggest civilian road patrols at night in rural districts, an adaptation of the Sullivan law to New Jersey, high bail and speedy trial for criminals.

Governor Edwards also received a telegram from Chief Magistrate William McAdoo of New York urging the Sullivan law for New Jersey.

ENRIGHT PROPOSES U. S. CRIME BUREAU

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out the State, and especially in rural districts.

"This is a time for economy," said the Governor, "but no expense should be spared to suppress those of criminal tendencies."

Several Mayors and prosecutors expressed their views upon means of cleaning up the State and proposed a "rabbit drive for criminals" from border to border of New Jersey. Some of them called for rigorous discipline in prisons and less leniency in granting pardons.

Pardons Board in Session.

While the anti-crime conference was being held in the Assembly Chamber of the State House, Governor Edwards, Chancellor Walker and other members of the State Board of Pardons, sitting in the Executive Chambers, were considering pleas for clemency for 466 convicts.

"Small chance these pardon seekers have now," said one of the members, "with the Governor and State officials in their present anti-criminal state of mind."

A resolution was adopted by the 200 members of the conference, pledging use of vigorous methods in dealing with criminals. Already vigilance committees have been formed in many of the cities and towns, and all are ready to mete out "Jersey justice" without fear.

"I was very much surprised yesterday, upon reading one of the New York newspapers, to learn that there was a crime wave in New Jersey and in other parts of the country," said Commissioner Enright. "For the last two or three weeks I had been led to believe that it was entirely confined to the City of New York. However, I think that we are able to cope with the crime situation so far as New York is concerned.

"The records of our department will not carry out the idea that a crime wave is prevalent in our city. We are having a few spectacular crimes, some of them atrocious, some of them tragic, but the aggregate of felonies in the City of New York for the year 1920 will compare very favorably with similar records for 1919, the same records for 1918, 1917 and 1916. Of course, there is a new kind of crime abroad in the land, and I think that is what is attracting the attention of the public generally. It is the Wild West sort of crime.

Use of Firearms Increasing.

"We did have the crimes of assault and robbery just as numerous in the old days as they are today, with this exception—that the implement that was used by the criminal was the slungiron or the sandbag or brass knuckles, or some other means of offense. The gun and the holdup variety of the use of the gun were not so much in evidence, but we had that sort of crime just the same.

"Of all cities, Newark and Jersey City and Hoboken and the other smaller cities in the northern end of New Jersey, co-operate with us to a greater extent than any other cities of this country, and we are working together and we always have worked together in recent years in utmost harmony. These cities are not trying to pass the buck to New York City, nor are we trying to pass it to them. I would say to our friend who just spoke, your Attorney General, that New York City is not in the business of sweeping its criminals out into the back yard; we believe in nagging them in, and driving them out, and we are doing that.

Urging a Sullivan law in New Jersey, Commissioner Enright said:

"We have found the Sullivan law to be a very great aid in the prevention of crime. There is no State, Jersey included, the stress of the agitation and frenzy which is existing on the part of the public, who asked for the repeal of the Sullivan law. I think it would be a very serious thing, indeed, if this law were repealed, and the use of firearms by persons not skilled in their use, is a very dangerous prerogative. They very seldom have them at hand, anyhow, when they need them, and if they do have them, as a rule, under stress of a hold-up or anything of that character, they are so frightened they don't know which pocket they have them in, and they might just as well have a button hook or a shoe horn, so far as use is concerned.

Jersey Needs a Sullivan Law.

"I believe the Sullivan law in the State of New Jersey would be of vast assistance not only to the police departments here and a protection to your people, but it would be a very great help to our city. We find that a large number of criminals operating in the City of New York have obtained their weapons in neighboring New Jersey cities. This is not a criticism of anybody, but here is a brief list:

"Lawrence Hawtherne, the man who held up some guests in the Hotel Astor. Purchased a weapon in Newark.

"Andrew Sheridan, arrested Dec. 17 for robbery and possession of a revolver in the Thirty-first Precinct. Admitted he had purchased it in Newark.

"Walter Van Dyne, Eugene Haisey and Frank Ness, charged with burglary. Bought automatic guns in Hoboken.

"These are a few recent cases. We have a great many of them.

"The question of bail has been brought up, and that is one thing we have very strong feeling on in our own city. Men are released very promptly on bail, no matter what crime they commit, except homicide. Those criminals in New York City dread one thing more than anything else, and that is the line-up. Every morning Police Headquarters examines 150 to 200 criminals. They fear this line-up, because the men arrested may never have been in court before. In the line-up are gathered all the detectives except those actually at work, and if the criminal has any record at all he can be immediately singled out, the crime which he has previously committed will be brought up, and the case against him will be very much strengthened. Besides, the arrested are exhibited to all detectives and officers gathered there, and that is one thing they dread very much. To avoid his exhibition, if they have a lawyer they will see that they are released on bail during the night.

Would Hold All Twenty-four Hours.

"To my way of thinking, bail should not be granted to any criminal charged with a felony for at least twenty-four hours, and when that bail is fixed it should be a substantial bail, it should be a bail that he cannot easily obtain or that he will feel constrained to obey, instead of using it to gain his liberty and go out and commit addit

RUM RAIDERS CLEAR A WISCONSIN TOWN

Fifty Chicago Agents Arrest 57 and Seize Two Loads of Liquor in Hurley.

CENTRE FOR LUMBER JACKS.

Moonshiners Flocked There and Threatened to Shoot the First Agent to Appear in the District.

HURLEY, Wis., Dec. 28.—Federal prohibition agents from Chicago visited nearly two score saloons, arrested fifty-seven persons and confiscated two loads of liquors in a raid that started shortly before noon today and continued for several hours. The prisoners and evidence were taken first to Ironton and thence to Ashland, Wis., where, probably tomorrow, the men will be arraigned before a United States commissioner on a charge of violating the Federal prohibition laws.

The raid was undertaken at the direction of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of Chicago, and was planned by Frank R. Richardson, newly appointed prohibition enforcement agent for this district. The raiding party of fifty or more was in charge of Joseph Callahan. "Movie" machines clicked every time a Federal agent drew a revolver, or a keg of liquor rolled into the street, and a number of newspaper men accompanied the invaders.

The crowd that followed the agents down Silver Street grew in a few minutes to more than 200 persons, but there was no demonstration, no hints of opposition to the raid; in fact, the crowd seemed more disposed to make it the occasion for a holiday.

As a surprise party the affair was a complete success, Federal agents agreed. While it was declared the saloons had been "tipped off" last night, apparently no great quantity of liquor had been concealed, according to many natives who watched the "mash march" down Silver Street.

Street cars were used to transport the agents, their prisoners and the seized liquors from Hurley to Ironwood. A sleigh drawn by two horses followed the agents in their clean-up, and hauled the liquor to the street cars. In Ironwood a dray met the street cars and took the liquor to the special cars.

Get Much Moonshine Liquor.

Moonshine, according to observers who pretended to know, constituted the principal "wet" haul, although there was a considerable quantity of the kind that bore brands formerly familiar sights in every saloon window.

The raid followed a wild night at Hurley, during which liquor was sold at bargain rates, ranging from 35 cents for moonshine whisky to 75 cents for well-known brands. Among the arrests were lumberjacks too paralyzed from liquor to realize what was happening.

This logging camp town has been the centre of anti-prohibition feeling for several months. Many lumberjacks are foreigners.

The smoldering resentment toward prohibition broke into flame in a battle here on Oct. 9, when prohibition operatives encountered bootleggers, who lost contraband whisky estimated to be worth $85,000. One man was killed in the fight and another was seriously wounded.

Since that time, it is said, prohibition agents have avoided Hurley, waiting until complete preparations could be made to make a raid in force.

The whole district in this part of the north woods has been regarded by dry officials as a law-defying community. Reports that dance halls, saloons, gambling rooms and "bootleg joints" flourished openly, each one selling any kind of liquor obtainable, from moonshine whisky to Italian wine, have been numerous.

Opposition to any encroachment from outside took definite form, however, after the fight in October. Bootleggers were said to have organized and issued a defiance that the first prohibition agent to show himself in Hurley would be shot. They vowed, it was said, to keep Hurley "a man's town for real men."

Home brewing has become a prominent industry, according to residents of the town, which boasts little more than 3,500 people. Kentuckians driven from the hills of their own State by revenue agents are said to have migrated to this district and set up their stills.

Refuses to Extradite Dry Agent.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 28.—Governor Albert E. Sleeper denied today the request of Wisconsin authorities for the extradition to Iron City, Wis., of Leo J. Grove, chief prohibition enforcement officer for Upper Michigan, and two of his assistants, indicted in Iron County on a charged of murdering John M. Chiapusio, alleged liquor runner.

The Governor's decision was announced following a hearing in the executive offices, attended by Grove, his assistants, Arthur Scully and Jay P. Sweeney; United States District Attorney Myron H. Walker of the Western Michigan district, law officers of Iron County, Wis., and members of the Michigan State constabulary.

Incidents of the night of Oct. 9, when Chiapusio was shot and killed, were described by Grove. With a number of his men, he said, he was out watching a road leading into Hurley, over which he expected a number of cars loaded with liquor. He had been informed, he testified, that forty-five men, part of whom were armed, had gone with twenty-three automobiles from Hurley to Milwaukee to bring back $50,000 worth of liquor, and he was watching to capture them on their return.

During the night, he said, he captured four cars carrying liquor. Chiapusio, he said, was riding in one of them and during the effort to stop the machine, Chiapusio was shot by one of six men in the squad of prohibition enforcement officers. Grove said he was not present when the shooting occurred. He did not tell the details of the killing.

Conditions at Hurley were described by members of the State Constabulary who referred to the town as headquarters for liquor smuggling operations for Northern Michigan. Roy C. Vandercook, former head of the constabulary, expressed the opinion that Federal officers could not obtain a fair trial in Hurley in view of conditions there and the sentiment of the community.

IRONWOOD, Mich., Dec. 28.—According to reports received tonight, Hurley is laughing over the raid today by Federal prohibition enforcement agents. Fifty minutes after the Federal agents with fifty-seven prisoners left for Ashland, Wis., moonshine liquor was sold in Hurley. Tonight, it was said, any one who knew how could buy liquor by the quart or case.

ASK MACHINE GUN FOR RUM.

San Francisco Agents Fear Eastern Crime Wave Imperils Liquor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 28.—The purchase of a machine gun to guard intoxicating liquor seized and held here by Federal authorities will be recommended to Washington, it was announced today, following an inspection of vaults where the liquor is sequestrated.

John O. Davis, Collector of Customs, said the liquor was valued at more than $2,000,000. Fear that the crime wave now reported in the East may spread to the Pacific Coast underlies the proposed recommendation for a machine gun, Davis said.

WATCH RIVER 3 WEEKS TO FIND SON'S BODY

Pottsville Couple in Pittsburgh Cling to Hope It Will Be Found.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—For three weeks Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Taylor of Pottsville, Pa., have kept pathetic vigil over the river in which their son, William R. Taylor, was drowned Dec. 3, when a timber fell from the Thirty-third Street Bridge, upon which he was employed, and knocked him into the river.

The father and mother immediately came to Pittsburgh to search for the body. Dragging proved in vain and, although Mr. Taylor obtained a permit to dynamite the river, ice made this impossible.

The young man's employer, the American Bridge Company, has helped in the hunt.

Mr. Taylor, who is a coal operator, has given up his business to remain in Pittsburgh until he has found the body. Advertisements placed in all the papers by the Taylors offer a liberal reward for its recovery.

"Expense means nothing," said Mr. Taylor today. "We want the body of our son. Nothing else matters. Mrs. Taylor and I will remain here until our boy is found."

"The river is so cold," added Mrs. Taylor simply. "We can't leave William there under the ice."

The wife of the drowned man came to the city with her husband's parents and is now resting in Marietta, Ohio.

BERNARD DYLLYN DIES FROM ESCAPING GAS

Roused From Bed, Aged Actor Is Overcome in Room—Had Often Helped Needy Players.

J. Bernard Dyllyn, an actor, whose last appearance in this city was in George M. Cohan's production "The Royal Vagabond," in which he took the part of Shefchek, was found asphyxiated in his furnished room at 306 West Forty-second Street yesterday morning. Dyllyn, who was 67 years old, shared the room with another occupant. His body, lying on the floor near the door, was found by James Emerson, another roomer at the same address, who reported the matter to the police. An investigation indicated that Dyllyn had returned home on Monday night and lit both a gas jet and a burner, before going to sleep. Gas escaping apparently from a defective burner connection aroused him, but he was too overcome to reach the door where he sought fresh air. A pin found on his clothing indicated that Dyllyn was a member of Elks Lodge No. 1, and this and other clues led to his identification.

Dyllyn first appeared in this city more than twenty years ago in variety productions, subsequently taking parts as a baritone singer. Later he appeared for the first time with Cohan in "Little Tommy Jones," and then went on the road. A representative of Mr. Cohan said that Dyllyn had often helped actors in need of financial or other assistance. His nearest kin is a cousin, named Condon, who lives in Brooklyn.

LAWRENCE FACTION WILL JOIN 'ONE BIG UNION'

Radicals, Led by Legere, Break From Amalgamated Textile Workers at Meeting.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 28.—A split occurred in the ranks of the local union of the Amalgamated Textile Workers of America at a meeting tonight, and a faction headed by Ben Legere, former Secretary, announced its intention of joining the "one big union."

The other faction, headed by Joseph Salerno, who was elected Secretary last Sunday night, reiterated its determination to retain membership in the Amalgamated.

The meeting was one of the Central Council of the union, comprising one delegate from each nationality. At its close Legere asserted that the council had voted 11 to 3, with two not voting, to repudiate the vote of last Sunday night to retain its charter in the Amalgamated, and also to repudiate the election of Salerno. Salerno, on the other hand, claimed that the vote was 5 to 4 in favor of standing by Sunday's action, with one not voting.

Both Legere and Salerno said it was certain that a part of the union would break away and follow the "one big union" plan.

DEMAND A HALT IN FLEET BUILDING

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consideration of Japan, this country must then build nine capital ships by 1924 at a cost of some ten millions sterling each, say a hundred millions in all."

The Morning Post then dwells upon the fact that the American and British navies fought side by side for a year and a half "with the utmost cordiality and good-will," and declares that "nothing could exceed the chivalrous courtesy of the American seamen, who at once placed themselves under British command."

"No formal alliance between the two nations," continues the paper, "could more solidly have united the two services; yet this was the moment chosen by American politicians to declare in effect that the British Navy was a potential menace to America. Never was the essential contradiction between American politics and American practice—which, if we may venture to say so without offense, seems to us even plainer than the same disparity in this country—more singularly illustrated. We said at the time, and we say again, that America has a perfect right to build a navy of any size she thinks proper, but we also said that the conclusion of a working arrangement between the United States and this country to share control of the seas would do more to establish and to maintain the peace of the world than any other plan conceivable.

"We are convinced that at this period of evolution of civilization the great mass of people in both countries regard the possibility of war between them with abhorrence. They own to a large extent a common origin, a common language and common ideals, and among thosedeals is an intense aspiration toward peace. The very idea of entering upon a ruinous rivalry in armaments is wholly repugnant. Such rivalry would in itself breed ill-feeling and suspicion. That the oppressed taxpayer in this country should be forced to spend more money by reason of America's naval enterprise would be a bitter business indeed. As for the Americans, we can but hope that they perceive the absurdity of spending millions of dollars to guard against a perfectly imaginary peril. We do not propose a naval holiday—a silly phrase invented by an impulsive politician. We suggest an agreement, not for naval play, but for naval work to be done in concert. There is quite enough to do on the seas of the world usefully to employ both navies, but there can be no peace for the world if one of two is to oppose the other.

"It is commonly said that America is building against Japan. Japan is our very good friend, and we know of no differences between that nation and the United States. But let us suppose, for the sake of argument, that differences should arise. Would they not be more easily composed were there a naval agreement between America and Great Britain in existence? Still assuming, for the sake of argument, that Japan should be tempted to use her navy for purposes of national expansion, would not an Anglo-American naval combination, which would leave Japan in the position of being the only naval power in the world open to suspicion of aggressive purpose, exercise a salutary effect?

"To these speculations, however, we prefer the hope that Japan may become a party to the better understanding of the right use of sea power among civilized nations which we are now proposing. If, again, we come to the hard material aspect of the case, it is, in fact, economically impossible for Japan to outbuild the United States. The British fleet is not, and has not been for a hundred years, a menace to any innocent power, nor since the war with this country of 1812 has the American Navy ever threatened a peaceful nation. We most earnestly hope, therefore, at this critical moment in the history of civilization, that the concord at sea which so long existed in practice between America and England may find formal expression in an agreement to insure its perpetual continuance."

LONDON, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—A plea for a naval agreement between the United States, Japan and Great Britain is voiced by The Daily News, which urges that the interval between the present moment and the inauguration of President-elect Harding should be utilized by the statesmen of the three countries to educate the public.

"The time should also be utilized," the newspaper continues, "by the public to stimulate statesmen to initiate conversations with a view to arriving at the most desirable and most practicable step toward relieving the peoples of a burden which is condemned universally in theory as intolerable."

Tokio Paper for Reduction of Navies.

TOKIO, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—The Jiji Shimpo, which has been one of the strongest supporters of the Government's naval program, says today that if the world consents to arrest the race for naval supremacy there is no reason why Japan's plan for eight battleships, eight battle cruisers and 120 submarines to be completed by 1925 should not be modified.

The newspaper calls on the Japanese Government to take the initiative and points out that the current expenditure for education is less than one-tenth of the expenditure for armaments.

47 DRY AGENTS LOSE JOBS HERE

New Federal Prohibition Supervisor Drops Men for Good of the Service.

TWENTY WENT YESTERDAY

Report of Bank Accounts, Auto and Diamond Buying Leads to Action.

Forty-seven prohibition enforcement agents attached to the office of the Federal Supervising Prohibition Agent in this city have been dismissed in the reorganization of the department by Supervisor Daniel J. Chapin, who took charge about two weeks ago. Twenty of these men, it was said, were discharged yesterday. Nothing official was said about the dismissals, but the action was reported to be in line with Mr. Chapin's plans to obtain the best men available.

The changes have not come as any surprise to most of the men in the department. Investigations have been in progress by special agents of the Department of Justice and other agents from Washington for several months. It was learned that one phase of the investigation involved the tracing of agents' bank accounts. Another thing considered was the sudden prosperity said to have been shown by some of the agents in the purchase of automobiles and diamonds.

The efforts of officials are being directed toward control of the situation at the source of supply. Charles R. O'Connor, Federal Prohibition Director for this State, is cutting down the number of permit holders and gradually tightening up on withdrawals. The force under the direction of Supervisor Chapin is paying more attention to the illegal transportation of liquors than to sales in saloons.

Discussing the sermon of the Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton at the Calvary Baptist Church on Sunday night, in which he decried the enforcement of the prohibition law and read a letter from "A Distracted Father," pointing to conditions in one saloon, Acting Supervisor Samuel M. Sewell said yesterday that if the department had 1,000 men it could use every one of them in investigating places reported by letter and otherwise. These complaints are all read, numbered and filed and investigated as rapidly as possible, Mr. Sewell said.

It was announced yesterday by the Allied Citizens of America, Inc., of which William H. Anderson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of New York is the head, that it would seek to procure enactment in every city and village of the State a local ordinance prohibiting the sale of liquor containing more than one-half of 1 per cent. alcohol.

The proposed ordinance would provide for a local permit at a nominal fee in order to have a check upon all places selling soft drinks, and also require the removal of screens and other obstructions from saloons.

Four men were arrested yesterday morning by Detectives Andrew Anderiman and James Connors and turned over to the Federal authorities for arraignment on charges of violating the Volstead act. Later two of the men were held in $2,000 bail by Magistrate Robert C. Ten Eyck on charges of grand larceny for examination today. They could not explain the ownership of an automobile in which the detectives said they found fifty-two cases of whisky in front of a house at Ninety-seventh Street and Second Avenue. They gave their names as James Pierce, 30, a plumber of 420 East Seventieth Street, and Frank Kehoe, 32, a butcher of 52 West 100th Street. The other two men were Ignazio Marino, 33, of 33 Chrystie Street, and Antonio Sappatino, 38, of 203 East Ninety-seventh Street.

COURT CALLS DRY LAW JOKE.

Liquor Dealers Should Be Glad It Was Passed, Says Magistrate.

Prohibition is a joke and liquor dealers should be glad the Eighteenth Amendment was passed, is the opinion of Magistrate Kochendorfer, voiced in the Far Rockaway Police Court yesterday.

Dennis McCarthy, 25 years old, living in Hammels Avenue, Rockaway Beach, was before the court on a charge of intoxication. McCarthy pleaded guilty. When asked where he obtained the liquor he said that he had been drinking cider. Magistrate Kochendorfer was skeptical.

"It was booze," he said. "I guess you are one of the men who are shouting for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. There are more drunks now than before prohibition. Prohibition is a joke. Liquor dealers should be glad the Eighteenth Amendment was passed. Before this law the highest price was $10 a gallon, and today the lowest is $30. Drinks that could be bought for 10 cents now cost 75 cents. The liquor dealers are certainly getting rich, and prohibition to them is a big joke."

USE NEW YORK PERMITS.

Chicago Liquor Dealers Could Get, It Is Said, Much Held in Storage.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Investigators have discovered that New York permits were sold here to liquor dealers. The latter filled out names of fictitious New York firms to withdraw whisky held in storage here. Bills of shipment were obtained and arrangements made for transportation of the liquor to New York. This transaction was entered in their books, showing a certain amount of whisky had been legally withdrawn.

Instead of shipping the booze, the space reserved was left empty and the released liquor distributed to Chicago bootleggers. In one case it is said a whole car was sent to New York empty. By this method the dry agents were thrown off the track. In every instance the correct amount of whisky was withdrawn and the permits correctly stamped by New York officials.

The permits were purchased or stolen in New York and were correct in every particular.

FEARS FOR KENTUCKY YOUTH

Gov. Morrow Blames Increase in Intemperance on Illicit Stills.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 28.—Governor Morrow, addressing a joint session of the Kentucky Judges' Association and the Kentucky Commonwealth Attorneys' Association here today, declared that the illicit manufacture and sale of whisky in Kentucky was more widespread than ever. It had reached a point, he asserted, where its suppression presented one of the most serious problems confronting the State.

Promising no immunity for liquor law violators, he asked the energetic cooperation of his auditors in suppressing the traffic, adding that one of its most alarming features was the spread of intemperance among youths.

SEIZE HOME BREW STILL.

Louisville Detective Lived Across Hall but Did Not Smell Liquor.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 28.—Two moonshine stills of twenty-five and thirty-five gallon capacities and 100 gallons of beer were seized by Federal officers in a raid last night on an apartment building in the downtown section. The alleged operator was taken into custody.

The stills were found in a room on the third floor, across a narrow hall from an apartment rented by a city detective. He said he had not known that the stills were there. The officers acted on the "tip" of a resident on the first floor that he "smelled liquor" in the building.

PARIS SEERESSES PREDICT DULL 1921

Penetration of Mystery of Death, With Panics and Murders to Furnish Only Excitement.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Nineteen hundred and twenty-one will be a transitory kind of year without any great outstanding events, according to Paris prophetesses who have been consulted by some newspapers.

Of these prophetesses since the death of the famous Mme. de Thebes, the greatest is now admittedly Mme. Freya. She is consulted by every one who wants to peer into the future, and claims to foresee national as well as domestic events. She is one of those who believe that the year will be a comparatively tranquil one, but just to give it a flip of interest she predicts toward its close the rise of a new political star over France who will have a great effect in changing social life. Whether he is of the Bolshevist persuasion she, however, refuses to disclose.

In arts and science the year will be undistinguished, but in the near future she foresees the return to pure classicism in French art. Only in one department of social life will there be great development, and that will be in the scope and power of the feminist movement. Women are going to play a great rôle, and simultaneously there will be a great decline in materialism and enormous progress in things spiritual. Perhaps, Mme. Freya goes as far as to say, this coming year will penetrate the mystery of death.

Brought down to more practical matters by the interviewer she predicted a considerable lowering in the cost of living, a prediction which perhaps does more credit to her common sense than her clairvoyance.

Mme. Ellis, another sorceress who was consulted, foretold the murder of two prominent public men by women. Financial disasters she also predicted in rather distressing number. Her prophecies, however, agree in the main with that of her rival that the year will be one of comparative quiet and reconstruction.

COLGATE STUDENT BODY RESIGNS ON 'PADDLING'

Beating of New York City Freshman Leads to Storm of Protest From the Undergraduates.

Special to The New York Times.

HAMILTON, N. Y., Dec. 28.—George W. Joel of New York City, a freshman at Colgate University was "paddled" a week ago by order of the Student Governing Board, which adjudged him guilty of lack of respect for upper class men. Joel took the beating and reported to the freshman body, which held a meeting and demanded that the board resign. This resulted in such a storm that the board was finally forced to resign.

The board is made up of members chosen by classes. The non-fraternity men, who are supporting Joel, want the rules revised so that each fraternity will elect one member if the non-fraternity men elect two. Because of the fact that most of the undergraduates are members of one or another of the numerous fraternities, the board has been made up almost exclusively of fraternity men.

The present board, which has offered its resignation, is headed by H. R. Burke, a senior, and includes Roy Wooster, captain of the 1920 football team, and Larry Leonard and Chief Browne, two of the stars who played on it. E. F. Volgenesu, another member of the football squad, and Jerry Linnehan of the basketball team, are also members.

Leonard said at his home in Geneso tonight that the board had offered to resign solely in the interest of preserving undergraduate harmony.

"We don't know what the developments will be," he said. "After the holidays the situation undoubtedly will clear up."

SEEKS RIGHT TO TAX EXEMPT SECURITIES

Representative McFadden Offers Resolution for a Constitutional Amendment.

CALLS SITUATION PERILOUS

Says Many Persons Escape Just Taxation Through Investments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—A resolution was offered in the House today by Representative L. T. McFadden, proposing a constitutional amendment to allow the Federal Government to tax the billions of tax exempt securities.

Mr. McFadden, who is Chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee, thinks that exempt securities lead to an unequal distribution of taxes upon the people and that reform should be attempted when Congress considers revision of the tax laws.

The proposed amendment reads as follows:

"Article —. The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, which shall include incomes derived from securities created by the States and their subsidiary Governments issued after the ratification of this article, and salaries of all public officials, Federal as well as State, elected or appointed to office after the ratification of this article, without apportionment among the States and without regard to any census or enumeration."

Mr. McFadden said in an interview:

"It is estimated by the best authorities that approximately $15,000,000,000 of securities in the United States are now exempt from taxation. This is in addition to the bonds of the National Government to the amount of nearly $25,000,000,000 partially or wholly tax exempt.

"Very few taxpayers realize the danger and the cost of this rapidly growing evil. The citizen who investigates discovers that his heavy load of taxes is not so much due to appropriations made at Washington, or his State Capital, as it is to the fact that many neighbors in his own community go tax free.

"The most immediate and efficient remedy will be legislation to tax all and to abolish these special privileges of tax exemptions.

"Continuation of the tax-exemption system would ultimately lead to the complete tax exemption of moneys and credits and to the imposition of heavier taxes upon farms and other lands. This is what the single taxers desire."

WANTS TO PAY PENALTY FOR HUSBAND'S CRIME

Denver Woman Attributes Murder of Other Man to Her Desire for Dress.

Special to The New York Times.

DENVER, Dec. 28.—"My advice to women who have good husbands is, stay home and let them love and support you and don't try to break into their world to do their work," said Mrs. Rose Monroe, 20 years old, held in the city jail, whose husband, James Taylor Monroe, last night killed the man who, he declares, despoiled his home.

"I alone should be held for the killing of Albert Snook," she continued, "for I am to blame for conditions that led to my husband taking the law into his own hands to avenge the honor of his home."

Snook was shot in his room at the Millard Hotel by Monroe after the latter had intercepted a note from Snook requesting Mrs. Monroe to visit him.

Mrs. Monroe now laments the fact that her craze for pretty and expensive things led her away from her home. "That is why I obtained a position as a cashier when we came to Denver from Oklahoma," she said, "and it was while I was working against my husband's wishes that I met Snook. I knew all the time there was dynamite in the situation, and yet I was willing and eager to take a chance apart its exploding.

"After each meeting I would return home and begin to compare the man to my husband and always rendered a verdict in Jimmy's favor.

"And we are in prison because I wasn't content to be a good wife to the kindest of husbands, but wanted to be in the midst of a lot of excitement and have my own money to dress beyond my station and to meet and get tangled in an affair with a man I had no business to know."

TRUCE AT FIUME FOR PEACE PARLEY

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believed that the Mayor's request for the suspension of hostilities was made with a view to facilitating the evacuation of civilians.

The Exchange Telegraph's Rome correspondent says that according to the latest news from Fiume the Italian regular forces have occupied the Danublan Shipyard, the oil refinery, the Whitehead Torpedo Works, the Public Gardens and Monte Calvaria. On the Susak side the line remains unchanged owing to the destruction of the bridges.

Admiral Simonetti, commander of the Italian fleet, yesterday gave the destroyer Espero, which recently deserted to d'Annunzio, fifteen minutes to rejoin his squadron. Following the refusal of the Espero's commander, the cruiser Andrea Doria opened fire at 500 yards, disabling the Espero's propeller and causing an explosion.

ANCONA, Italy, Dec. 27.—Italian troops attempting to dislodge legionaries at Zara were hindered in their work by women of that city, according to statements made by soldiers who have arrived here. As the troops advanced toward the barracks where the legionaries were stationed many women formed in line in front of them, screaming: "Kill us first, and then you can exterminate the volunteers."

A few hours later the legionaries surrendered and were later brought to this city as prisoners.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The State Department today issued this statement relative to the situation at Fiume:

"The department's only information regarding Fiume today is that General Caviglia plans to take Fiume at all costs, but under orders to avoid bloodshed if possible. His advance against Fiume is necessarily slow, in accordance with his orders, and in closing in on Fiume yesterday he encountered some opposition, with reported slight loss by both the Italian regular troops and the Fiume legionaries."

FRENCH ATTACK D'ANNUNZIO.

'More Insolently Proud Than Lenin,' Says Gauvain.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Auguste Gauvain in the Journal des Débats tonight makes a bitter attack on d'Anpunzio, whom he calls "more insolently proud than Lenin."

Gauvain writes:

"Gabriele d'Annunzio has wished to live his life. He changed his real name of Gan Rapagnetta to fit with his ambitions, for he was the annunciator of a new life. And what a life! From adolescence till middle age began the existence of Gabriele d'Annunzio was a long succession of scandals. A strain of immorality runs through his books, of which the heroes make a divinity of the ego. Yet in his romances and in his poems the magic of the verbal genius enchants the reader. The rare harmony and rhythm are delicious. If he had been content with his fame as a writer his personal sins might have been forgiven him, but unfortunately, with the approach of age he wished to transfer himself into a political personage."

It would be unjust, says Gauvain, not to recognize the good work the poet did in bringing his country into the war on the side of the Allies, but later he undid all he had done by creating himself an apostle of unbridled imperialism.

"In truth," Gauvain concludes, "this man is possessed by a demon."

FIRE ON MAYFLOWER IN OFFICERS' QUARTERS

President's Yacht Is Damaged While Tied Up at the Washington Navy Yard.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The messroom and several staterooms in the officers' quarters on the Presidential yacht Mayflower were burned out today while the yacht was tied up at the navay yard here. A board of inquiry was convened to determine the origin of the fire.

Secretary Daniels said the amount of damage had not been determined, but that a number of the officers on the vessel lost all of their personal effects. The fire was extinguished before it reached the state dining room and the President's quarters.

Eight newspaper reporters and photographers who entered the navy yard by passing the marine guard were arrested and held at the Commandant's office for questioning, but when news of their detention reached Mr. Daniels he ordered their immediate release.

The yard officials were said to have sought to establish from the men how they were able to get by the marine guard at the yard entrance.

$2,500,000 DAMAGE IN WILMINGTON FIRE

Destruction of Leather Company's Plant Complicates the Local Unemployment Situation.

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 28.—The huge plant of the Wilmington Leather Company was a mass of smoking ruins, twisted steel and shattered concrete tonight after the most destructive fire in the history of Wilmington, which caused damage estimated at more than $2,500,000.

At no time after the fire was discovered, a little before 6 o'clock, were the combined fire companies of the city able to get it under control, and at 10 o'clock the flames were dying down, after having consumed eleven buildings and a valuable stock of raw, partly finished and manufactured leather. All that remained of the great plant was a small warehouse and a workshop, set apart from the main buildings.

The company was organized in 1906, with James F. O'Neill of this city as President. It did a business estimated at $5,000,000 yearly.

The cause of the fire is not known. It started in one of the older buildings and spread quickly. One of the first structures to go was a new fireproof addition, built last year at a cost of $400,000.

The plant was one of the largest in this section and employed many hundreds of workmen. After having been closed for weeks, it was planned to reopen it this week and take on 800 hands who had been added to the swelling list of the city's unemployed.

A fire broke out under similar circumstances at the plant Nov. 9, but was discovered before it had gained much headway, and was put out after having caused about $10,000 damage.

WON'T PAY FIREBUG REWARD

Fayette County Authorities Don't Believe Prisoners Are Men Sought.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 28.—The Commissioners of Fayette County, who recently offered a reward of $5,000 for the arrest and conviction of the firebugs who have been terrorizing that part of Western Pennsylvania, have declined to pay the money to the persons responsible for the arrest of two men now in jail, on the ground that the "real firebug" has not been captured.

"We are not fully agreed that we have the right man," said Commissioner George Hibbs today. "Frank Koma, the first man arrested, says he fired the Marion school, and so does Albert Smith. It looks to us as though both were ready to agree to anything."

State police and county officers today continued their search for the incendiaries, while careful guard was maintained throughout the district. Volunteer patrols supplemented the State forces last night.

A barn on the farm of Joseph Rhoades, near Ligonier, was destroyed by fire today. The season's crops and 125 chickens were burned, the damage being estimated at about $2,000.

Ligonier is located in the Westmoreland-Fayette-Washington district. The authorities said tonight they had failed to discover the origin of the fire and believed it was the work of incendiaries.

King Motor Co. to Resume Work.

DETROIT, Dec. 28.—Reorganization of the King Motor Car Company, which failed several months ago and which on Dec. 14 was purchased by C. A. Winnegan of Buffalo, has been completed and production will be started Feb. 1.

HEAVY DAMAGE BY FIRE.

D'Annunzio Loses Four Airplanes and Several Hundred Prisoners.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MILAN, Dec. 28.—The rumor that d'Annunzio had committed suicide proves untrue, but a bulletin issued from the Regency of Fiume says he was wounded in the head yesterday afternoon by splinters of a shell fired from the Italian Admiral's flagship, the superdreadnought Andea Doria. The missile struck a window sill of the hall at the commander's headquarters, where d'Annunzio was intent with his general staff on examining the strategic situation. Two more shots of like calibre fired from the same warship a few minutes later caused a large number of casualties and wrecked all the surrounding buildings.

D'Annunzio's destroyer Espero was disabled by gunfire from the flagship while seeking to launch a torpedo attack. Four d'Annunzian airplanes have been captured, also several hundred prisoners. The latest casualties among the regular troops, mostly Carabineers and Apini, are given at 30 dead and 150 wounded. The latter have been conveyed to Trieste.

The Legionaries who surrendered at Zara have been hurried across the Adriatic.

A law has been promulgated by the Roman Government whereby every captured rebel is subject to fifteen years confinement.

Intense feeling is rife among the Nationalist element in the kingdom. Demonstrations occurred in Rome, Florence, Bologna, Modena, Brescia, Venice and Milan, where the instant closing of shops and all public resorts has been enforced.

At Milan police thwarted the endeavors of the mob to sack the Secolo and Corriere della Sera newspaper offices, but at Turin damage was done to La Stampa's editorial department through the hurling of two bombs.

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Brief summaries of the business activities of the last year and the prospects for the coming year by national bank chairmen and presidents — James B. Forgan and George M. Reynolds of Chicago, Emory N. Clark, Detroit; F. M. Prince, Minneapolis; John G. Lonsdale, St. Louis—will appear in the Annual Review of The Annalist, Jan. 3, 1921. Ten cents a copy at newsstands.—Advt.

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PRESIDENT-ELECT'S ADVISERS.

Photographs of eminent Americans who have given President-elect Harding the benefit of their advice, in The Mid-Week Pictorial this week. They include Senator Lodge, Senator James A. Reed, William Jennings Bryan, Senator Underwood, Elihu Root, Charles E. Hughes and ex-Presidents Taft. Published by The New York Times Company. Ten cents at news stands; $5 a year by mail.—Advt.

DEPORTING OF REDS TO BE RESUMED

New Batch of 25 Is to Leave Here for Libau in About Three Weeks.

500 AWAIT DEPORTATION

Radicals Plan a Protest Against Martens's Expulsion and Demand Trade With Russia.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Deportation of Russian radicals has been resumed, it was said today at the Department of Labor. A number of Russians were started home last week and another batch of twenty-five will leave New York in about three weeks. The radicals are sent to Libau and moved thence by rail into Soviet Russia.

Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled Russian Soviet ambassador, who is to be surrendered on Jan. 5 on a deportation warrant, will be sent to Russia via Libau, it was said at the department. Although he has been recalled by his Government, the expenses of his deportation will be paid by the United States.

There are about 500 Russian radicals awaiting deportation at New York and elsewhere, but their movement has been held up pending the outcome of negotiations with the Esthonian Government for permission for them to pass through that country.

Protesting against the deportation of Martens; the American Labor Alliance for Trade Relations with Russia announced yesterday that it would take its fight for trade resumption directly to Congress. Timothy Healy, Chairman of the Alliance, said:

"This order from Moscow has brought the Russian question to a point where American labor must take immediate action. We have reasoned long enough with this Administration. We shall now take the arguments of labor to Congress and call upon those Representatives and Senators not allied with the Administration's policy to act for the relief of American workers. We shall call mass meetings of working people all over the country, so that every Congressman will know the sentiment of labor in his own State on this matter."

A mass meeting of protest, it was announced, will be held on Sunday afternoon at Madison Square Garden. Senator Joseph I. France of Maryland will be the principal speaker.

Other speakers will be Frank P. Walsh, former Chariman of the War Labor Board; Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch of the American Women's Emergency Committee; William H. Johnston, President of the International Machinists' Union; Benjamin Schlesinger, President of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, who recently returned from Moscow, where he had a conference with Lenin, and Joseph Schlossberg, Secretary Treasurer of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, who recently returned from Italy.

TAKES SUPPLIES TO RUSSIA.

Freighter Sails With Food, Clothing and Medicine for Destitute.

The freighter Jackson, belonging to the Globe Steamship Company, sailed yesterday for Reval with a cargo of food, clothing and hospital supplies which will be distributed to various parts of Russia. The supplies were sent by the All-Russian Jewish Public Committee, whose representatives will meet the Jackson at Reval, according to the New York agent, Dr. H. Dubrowsky of 47 West Forty-second Street.

A large part of the cargo will be sent to the devastated region of Borisov and Minsk, where the houses and city hospitals were razed.

The Jackson carries about $30,000 worth of medical supplies and outfits to equip two children's hospitals. The rest of the cargo includes $150,000 worth of clothing, $25,000 worth of disinfectants, &c., and thousands of packages of foodstuffs.

Dr. Dubrowsky said the next relief ship, the Panola, was scheduled to leave New York for Reval on Jan. 2.

Harding to Receive Masonic Degrees

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 28.—President-elect Harding will become a Scottish Rite Mason Jan. 5, when the Columbus Chapter will confer degrees upon him. The process will start at noon with the conferring of the fourth degree and end at 7:30 P. M., when the thirty-second degree will be conferred. Presidents Garfield and McKinley were members of the Columbus lodge.

ASKS CUT IN HARD COAL.

Boston Fuel Administrator Asserts Prices Are Excessive.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—Massachusetts coal dealers were told to cut the high prices of recent months in a communication from Fuel Administrator Eugene C. Hultman today. Asserting that the retail price of anthracite coal in many communities was excessive, the Administrator said that there was no justification for continuance of high prices and he requested a prompt readjustment.

"Numerous complaints of exorbitant charges for coal are being received by this commission," the communication said. "Retail prices have gone as high as $18 to $24 a ton in some communities. "So-called 'company' coal remains at approximately $5 per gross ton, with a large amount of 'independent' coal being shipped to Massachusetts for about $1 above this price."

Judge Lee at Cashiers' Dinner.

Judge Richard Lee, counsel to the Vigilance Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, was the principal speaker at the dinner of the cashier's section of the Association of Stock Exchange Firms at the Hotel McAlpin last night. J. Edward Meeker also spoke.

M'WHINNEY CLEARED OF GAMBLING PLOT

Jury, Failing to Agree on Other Verdicts, Is Discharged by Justice Young.

DELIBERATES ALL DAY

Parts of Testimony Are Reread—Nassau Assemblyman Is Immediately Released.

Special to The New York Times.

MINEOLA, Dec. 28.—Assemblyman Thomas A. McWhinney, Vice Chairman of the Lockwood committee, was acquitted tonight by a jury in the Supreme Court here on an indictment charging him with conspiring with Supervisor G. Wilbur Doughty, Republican leader of Nassau County, and Sheriff Charles W. Smith to permit gambling in Nassau County.

The verdict in McWhinney's case was announced by William A. Isaacs, foreman of the jury, a few minutes after 10 o'clock. He informed Justice Young, however, that the jurors could not agree on a verdict in the cases of Supervisor Doughty and Sheriff Smith.

Justice Young immediately discharged Assemblyman McWhinney from custody, but requested the jurors to return to consideration of the evidence in the hope they would be able to arrive at a verdict in the cases of the other two defendants. The jury then requested that parts of the testimony of a private detective and Assistant District Attorney Elvin N. Edwards regarding a conversation with the manager of a gambling house at East Rockaway on the night the place was raided be read to them.

Mr. Edwards swore the gambler said to him: "This ain't fair; you said you would give me ten minutes, but you only gave me four." When the private detective was on the witness stand he testified the gambler said: "This ain't fair; the Sheriff said we could have ten or fifteen minutes, and we've only had four minutes in which to clean out."

Shortly after midnight the jury again reported that it could not agree on a verdict in the cases of Supervisor Doughty and Sheriff Smith, and was discharged by the Court.

The case went to the jury in the forenoon, after a number of character witnesses were called by the defense, including Lieutenant Governor-elect Jeremiah Wood and State Senator George L. Thompson of Suffolk County.

PARIS HUNTS A PEKINESE.

Mme. Sarraut's Missing Pet Said to Be Worth Its Weight in Gold.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Every policeman and dog fancier in Paris has been ordered to keep a lookout for a particolored Pekinese bitch which yesterday escaped from her human attendant and is now either wandering about lost or is much more probably in the safe possession of some one who had the wit to realise her value.

In size this dog is just a little bigger than a man's fist, but her value is said to be much more than her weight in gold. She was brought to Paris by the wife of the Colonial Minister, M. Sarraut, former Governor of French Indo-China, to whom she had been presented by a high native dignitary, and she belongs to one of the finest families in the world. Her ancestors lived in the imperial palace in Peking, and some of them were immortalized in porcelains of the Ming Dynasty. It was death for any common person to possess a dog of such lineage, and it was only after the Winter Palace had been sacked in the middle of the last century that one of the breed found its way to Europe hidden in a British soldier's cap.

The lost treasure of Mme. Sarraut is said to be one of the purest bred, smallest and most beautiful of all her aristocratic race, with her black and white markings exactly right

$2,500,000 PAID TO NEW HAVEN ROAD

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for such allowances as they may deem proper to cover their services, expenses and disbursements in this cause—the same to be paid by the said The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company out of the moneys so to be received by it."

Defendants in the original suit whose names do not appear in the order live outside the jurisdiction of the court, but it was said that they would be automatically included.

Reasons for the Order.

The reasons why the Court gave its approbation to the compromise are set forth in the following memorandum of Judge Hough:

"The compromise of suits and actions is generally a matter private between the parties, and the only reason known to me for submitting this settlement to the Court is the unusual fact that it consists in the payment by one set of defendants to another defendant of a large sum of money in consideration of general releases.

"The individual defendants are buying their peace from the plaintiffs by paying money to the corporate defendant; the only interest of the plaintiffs in this suit, however, is to get money for the corporate defendant, and counsel fees and expenses for their own solicitors.

"However, since the approbation of the court has been asked, it is given for the following reasons: This bill alleges a conspiracy to cause the corporate defendant to violate the Sherman act by doing very expensive and unprofitable things. Ergo, says the bill, the individual defendants must pay as damages what their conspiracy cost the New York & New Haven Railway. I have regarded this as an extremely doubtful cause of action, difficult to prove, and in outcome uncertainty itself.

"After repeated attacks upon it, however, the bill has been retained (so far as I am concerned) mainly because underneath the maze of pleadings one outstanding fact remains, viz.: that the directors of the railway, or a majority of them, pursued the consistent course of acquiring everything that could be called competing transportation systems in New England, and many that (to my mind) could not be called competing—paying for such acquisitions a great deal of money or property, constituting an outlay which, in the light of subsequent events, it would be difficult to justify on a business basis. This has seemed enough to require the trial of the suit when and if pressed.

"Now that plaintiffs have retracted all suggestion of personal profit by defendants, and retracted also whatever allegations of moral wrongdoing are in the bill and all that may be suggested by the business transactions aforesaid, the case is eminently one for settlement; it really rests (I think) on what the court of last resort may think as to how directors should manage investments.

"The New York directors (or their personal representatives), who are the individual defendants, are evidently not all to be treated alike. They were in office at different times, and the acts complained of are not evenly distributed, or anything like evenly distributed, over the twenty odd years covered by the pleadings. Further, they can be liable only for their personal acts, and it remains wholly unknown to me (and I presume largely to the plaintiffs) how far the personal actions of these particular defendants contributed to the corporate acts complained of.

"Some years of litigation having porved (to me) how costly and uncertain the whole matter must be, it is a gratifying result to avoid further investigation of what can never be wholly undone.

"The railway company has consistently declined to bring such a suit as this, or to give to it any pecuniary assistance for the frankly stated reason that it would not pay. I am not aware that the corporate defendant has ever expressed any opinion on any other point of policy. Now money is offered to it, and it seems to me a perfectly proper proceeding on the part of the corporation to take a fund which, however, has been produced wholly by the labors of others.

"This last is the ruling point respecting the allowance of counsel fees. It is substantially admitted that the plaintiffs have but furnished their names; the corporate defendant has been no more than a spectator; the work has been done wholly by counsel on both sides, and in so far as any fruit is produced it is wholly the work of plaintiffs' counsel.

"Large as the settlement is, I see no reason why the rule usual in this jurisdiction in respect of recoveries of sums largely speculative by counsel operating on contingent fees should not be applied, and I award one-third of the settlement to plaintiffs' counsel. It is not overlooked that it is stated without contradiction that upward of $21,000 has been spent in the advancement of this cause. I do not doubt it, but the items as presented do not constitute costs; they do not even constitute taxable disbursements, as that phrase is understood in this jurisdiction; they must all be covered by the award above indicated.

"The requisite orders have been signed, including one of discontinuance, and are filed with this memorandum."

To Settle Issue of Liability.

The extent to which each one of the defendants will be assessed to make the $2,500,000 payment to the railroad is a matter that still is in abeyance, according to Richard V. Lindabury, their counsel. Mr. Lindabury told a reporter for THE TIMES last night that the officers, Directors and counsel of the railroad would not be required to pay equal amounts, and explained that differences in the individual assessments naturally would be based upon the terms of service.

A petition for $835,000 to cover counsel fees and expenses was made by the attorneys for the complainants, including Lawrence Berenson, solicitor; Asa P. French, Arthur Berenson, Francis P. Garland, Frank M. Swacker and Bernard Berenson, counsel, who asked in addition $21,939.31, representing disbursements made by these individuals.

Just before Mr. Garland left for Boston last night, he told a reporter for THE TIMES that a check for $2,560,000 had been drawn during the day and deposited to the account of the railroad company. He did not know who drew the check or on what bank.

Mr. Garland explained that the order issued by Judge Hough was absolute and final, and that as a result no group of stockholders have the power to start an opposing action. He said the settlement was arranged for the benefit of all the stockholders, after they had voted overwhelmingly against bringing the suit for $150,000,000, and after attempts to induce the directors to start proceedings had failed.

Mr. Garland said that he was well satisfied with the terms of the settlement, and approval of the court had been sought because counsel for the plaintiffs did not want to make a settlement outside of court in which their actions might be open to criticism by either their own clients or the majority stockholders.

The immediate steps leading to the settlement were disclosed through correspondence between Mr. Lindabury, on the one hand, and the plaintiff's counsel. On Nov. 20 last, Mr. Lindabury wrote the following letter to Arthur Berenson:

"I have submitted your suggestions looking to a settlement of the above cause to my clients and associates and they have given them careful consideration.

"You allege in your bill of complaint extravagant and wasteful expenditures coupled with a violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust act, but we understand you to disclaim any intention to charge the defendants or their testators with any fraud or with having profited or attempted to profit by any of the acts of which you complain. It is only upon this understanding that we are able to consider your suggestions at all.

"We have expected to establish on the trial of the cause that the acts complained of were undertaken and carried through in good faith for the benefit of the New Haven Company as the Directors saw it; that they were done openly and were known to and acquiesced in by all of the stockholders at the time; that when these acts were later attacked they were approved and ratified by an overwhelming vote of the stockholders; that they did not violate the Sherman Anti-Trust act or any other act, State or Federal, and that the losses which afterward overtook the New Haven Company were due to entirely different causes. That we should be able to maintain these defenses in the courts we entertain no doubt whatever.

"Nevertheless, the defendants are weary of the litigation, and are disposed to buy their peace if it can be purchased at a reasonable price and without dishonor. Your disclaimer relieves them on the latter point, and they have consequently authorized us to offer the sum of $2,500,000 in full settlement.

"Of course, this offer will have to be laid before Judge Hough and the present Board of Directors of the New Haven Railroad Company."

On Dec. 23 the following acknowledgment was written to Mr. Lindabury by Arthur Berenson and associates:

"Your letter of the 20th inst. was duly received and has been considered by us. We had hoped for a somewhat larger offer, but under all the circumstances we are disposed to accept it, subject to the approval of Judge Hough. We already have authority from our clients to settle, and we hand you a copy of the same herewith.

"You are quite right in your understanding of the issues upon which we expected to try the case. We do not claim, and we have not intended to claim, that the defendants or their testators were guilty of bad faith, self-seeking, or of any other moral offense. That they acted in what they thought was the interest of the New Haven Road we do not doubt. This much was admitted by counsel for the Government on the trial of the criminal case, and no evidence has been discovered since which would justify us in taking any different position.

"We shall present the matter to Judge Hough and to the Directors of the New Haven Road as soon as the necessary papers can be prepared."

It was suggested last night that as the stockholders by a large vote decided not to bring suit on behalf of the majority interests, it was likely that the stockholders would act at the next meeting in some way to relieve the defendants of the burden of making the entire payment mentioned in the settlement. The stockholders, it was said, might vote in favor of assuming the liability themselves, making it an obligation of the company, which was one of the defendants.

Counsel for the defendants included John G. Milburn, representing Charles M. Pratt and Lewis Cass Ledyard; William Greenough for William Rockefeller, J. Pierpont Morgan, Herbert L. Satterlee, William P. Hamilton and Lewis Cass Ledyard as executors under the will of J. Pierpont Morgan; Stetson, Jennings & Russell, for Florence A. V. Twombly, as executrix under the will of Hamilton McK. Twombly, and Morgan J. O'Brien Jr., for the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company.

NEW CABINET SLATE NOW NEAR DECISION

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an agreement among Senators and others concerned on some plan that can be made effective. I think he is on the way to producing a basis of international agreement that will prove feasible, that will be entirely satisfactory to this country and acceptable to the other powers, and that will greatly diminish the danger of armed conflict."

McCumber Declares Europe Is Sick.

As Acting Chairman of the Senate Committee on Finance during Senator Penrose's illness, Senator McCumber was invited to Marion to confer with Senator Harding primarily on domestic problems. He said that he could see little prospect of rapid or immediate domestic improvement.

"The nation can prosper only as it can produce and sell," he said, "and from the present era of high costs we will have to progress toward a better situation in somewhat the same measure that other nations are able to recuperate. Europe is too sick to get well in a month. We have got to be patient until the public mind becomes normal again, not only in this country, but particularly in Europe. The condition is to a considerable extent a psychological one.

"During the war wages and prices were high, but everybody had money and was willing to buy. People made a good many sacrifices, it is true, because it was necessary, but when the war was over they entered a new era of generous buying with little thought of sacrifices, and so prices continued high.

"Finally the time came when pretty nearly everybody realized at about the same time that they could not go on paying such prices, and so buying stopped. In my judgment, at the time of the election, the people were thinking a good deal more about these domestic and economic problems than about international affairs. They were concerning themselves about Government extravagance, high rents and the cost of everything. They had begun to want to know why these things were so.

Charges Wage Favoritism.

"They were realizing that the Administration had been playing with particular classes, favoring them with very high wages, which in turn had the inevitable effect of raising the price of everything that everybody must buy. From such a condition as this recovery must be gradual, particularly in view of the prostrate condition of Europe and the inevitable interdependence of countries.

"I do not expect that the present session of Congress will accomplish much more than passing the appropriation bills and, I hope, the budget legislation. The latter seems to be very well worked out and there is hardly any opposition to it."

Senator McCumber was asked for his opinion as to the outlook for the emergency tariff legislation that has passed the House and is pending in the Senate. He said he was not certain that it would pass, as a good deal of opposition had developed in the Senate, including in its scope some of those who were very much in favor of the principle of the measure.

"I am, of course," he said, "strongly in favor of legislation to improve the condition of the agricultural interests. But the imposition of the proposed tariff on wheat, for instance, does not work out as very substantial protection when it is considered that wheat bought in Canada with Canadian money and then brought into the United States, would, on account of the difference in the money values of the two countries, actually pay a tax amounting to only about 3 cents per bushel in our money."

Senator McCumber said that there would be no general tariff revision at this session.

Straus Firm for League Idea.

Mr. Straus had a conference on international problems with the President-elect in the morning. As to Senator Harding's proposals for a modified association of nations, Mr. Straus said that he would have to interpret them before he was prepared to express an opinion.

"For twenty-five years," said Mr. Straus, "I have been working for the establishment of an international association founded on right that would lead all nations to higher paths. To my mind, this is expressed in the present League of Nations. I am still for the League, either with or without reservations, so long as the idea is retained.

"Without the League nothing could prevent the nations from lapsing into the chaos of 1914. We should get in the League, either modifying its provisions in advance or after we enter, but get in—that is the main thing."

Mr. Straus was asked whether he believed that a substitute for the League would be successful.

"I think it doubtful," he replied, "for it would depend upon the attitude of the other powers."

Lieut. Col. Roosevelt Backed.

The name of Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt for Assistant Secretary of War or the Navy as a recognition of the American Legion was presented to Senator Harding today by John G. Maher of Lincoln, Neb., who had been invited to discuss with the President-elect both international matters and the soldiers' bonus problem. One of the points raised in urging Senator Harding's favorable consideration of Colonel Roosevelt was the sentimental value to Roosevelt followers in having a third Roosevelt as Assistant Secretary of the Navy. President Roosevelt resigned his post as Assistant Secretary of the Navy for active service in the Spanish war. Franklin D. Roosevelt, a cousin, left the same office as Democratic candidate for Vice President.

In bringing up Colonel Roosevelt's name, it is understood that Mr. Maher made it plain to the President-elect that he in no way represented the official attitude of the American Legion, although he said that he believed Colonel Roosevelt's appointment to an Assistant Secretaryship would be a recognition of the legion that would be profoundly appreciated. Mr. Maher, who saw two years' service with the American Expeditionary Forces, was associated with Colonel Roosevelt in organizing the American Legion. He has also been a lifelong Democrat, and when urged last Summer by his party in Nebraska to accept the Democratic nomination for Governor he announced himself a supporter of Harding and assisted in organizing "independence clubs," under whose auspices Senator Reed and other opponents of the League of Nations spoke in Nebraska.

Among Senator Harding's other callers was Samuel Adams of Charlottesville, Va., and Chicago. Mr. Adams is the publisher of The American Fruit Grower and was a candidate for the Republican nomination for Vice President at the Republican convention in Chicago last June. After his talk he requested that it be announced that he had asked Senator Harding not to consider his name in connection with the Secretaryship of Agriculture.

HILL URGES SUBSTITUTE FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Ex-Ambassador Proposes a Convention of All the Responsible Governments.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Dr. David Jayne Hill, former Assistant Secretary of State and Ambassador to Germany, addressing the social and economic section of the American Association for the Advancement of Science today, urged that a convention be called of "all peoples that maintain responsible government," to organize a substitute for the present League of Nations.

Dr. Hill said that the enforcement of the provisions of the present League rested with nations with "only a small preponderance of military efficiency, consisting chiefly in the possession of superior armament and not at all in numbers." This, he said, was its weakness.

"Would not a full conference of responsible States, the standard of responsibility being full acceptance of international law and actual conformity to it, where the members of the society of nations might meet as juristic equals, furnish an occasion for reorganizing that society in its true sense?" he asked.

"Could not the nations, both victors and vanquished, meet there upon the assumption that a formal peace having been made, a friendly disposition might make that peace effective between the peoples that have been at war? Obviously, no such meeting as this could be held under the auspices of the League of Nations, while organized as a military and political alliance."

A reorganization of the society of nations, including all peoples maintaining responsibility, is what is needed now, according to Dr. Hill.

"The test of a responsible government," he told his audience, "is acceptance of international law, which is based on the inherent rights of sovereign States and obedience to that law."

He urged a properly constituted international tribunal to determine what such international law is, and "to which all responsible governments may appeal, of right, for the redress of their wrongs."

The present League is defective in this respect, he held, "because it is a predetermined compact, designed not to meet the necessity of a free association of equals, but to carry out the purposes of the victors in rendering the vanquished powerless now and hereafter."

Dr. Hill said that in spite of defects the victory of the Allies was an essential step toward a permanent peace.

"The lesson it has taught is," he said, "that however formidable an aggressor may appear at the moment of aggression the world cannot be permanently ruled by military force."

The substitution of the proposed society of nations, Dr. Hill was certain, would give a real foundation for peace.

"It is the provision of a means of redress without resort to arms," he said. "It is the recognition of a right to those conditions of life that are essential to the satisfaction of a people's needs and the establishment of a tribunal before which a nation's wrongs may obtain the judgment of a just judge."

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There will be 100 tables, each seating 10 persons. Tickets for the dinner will provide at least $1,000,000 of the $3,500,000 which is New York's quota of the national fund of $33,000,000.

The American Relief Association, the American Red Cross, the American Friends Service Committee (Quakers), the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, the Knights of Columbus, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. have combined into the European Relief Council, of which Herbert Hoover is Chairman, to render the collection a success.

Of the $33,000,000 sought $23,000,000 will be devoted to child feeding and the balance to medical relief. It is estimated that one dollar will give a child a meal a day for a month; ten dollars will keep a child alive until the harvests of next August.

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REINSCH ARRAIGNS SECRET DIPLOMACY

Declares in Washington Address Its Use at Peace Conference Was a Failure.

FINDS METHODS PERSIST

Ex-Minister Says Some of the Worst Features Have Been Shown Recently.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—At a joint meeting tonight at the New Willard Hotel with the American Historical Association, presided over by Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, an address on secret diplomacy was delivered by Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, President of the Political Science Association. Dr. Reinsch, who was the American Minister to China during the World War, advocated open diplomacy.

While conceding that the United States, on account of its detached international position, had held itself free from secret diplomacy, he asserted that at times and especially during the great war, "affairs have been handled with what would ordinarily seem insufficient information to the public."

Dr. Reinsch spoke of Japan as "the only remaining absolutist State," where secret diplomacy, he contended, "is true to type." He criticised the statesmen who maintained secrecy in the peace conference for not fulfilling the expectation that freedom from outside interference would enable them to agree promptly on a solution of their problems so complete and just as to meet with acceptance by the public opinion of the nations.

As a remedy for secret diplomacy he suggested, so far as the United States was concerned, "a free masonry of thinking men and women" who would insist upon publicity in foreign affairs and keep the general public informed of what deeply concerned our welfare in foreign relations.

Sees Relation to Absolutism.

"Secret diplomacy," said Dr. Reinsch, "is closely related with the absolutist theory of State. As long as sovereignty is considered absolute, and as long as States consider that their highest interest is in separate rather than in co-operative action, secret diplomatic policies will continue. As long as personal absolutism existed, diplomacy was secret and deceitful both in policy and in detailed practice. The democratic principle demands that diplomatic policy and all treaties at least should be made public, although the details of the negotiations may remain confidential.

"In the only remaining absolutist State, Japan, secret diplomacy is true to type. In the most democratic States, the United States and Great Britain, publicity of diplomatic policy and full reports on diplomatic action after negotiations are concluded are demanded but not always obtained. As in England the conduct of foreign affairs is in the hands of the Cabinet, which always must have the full confidence of the majority in the House of Commons, a great latitude of diplomatic discretion is usually left to the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

"The United States has been so detached from foreign entanglements that of all nations it has held itself most free from the vices of secret diplomacy, although at times, and especially during the last war, affairs have been handled with what would ordinarily seem insufficient information to the public. In Europe during and since the war, however, some of the worst features of secret diplomacy have been displayed.

Says Secrecy Failed at Paris.

"Remedies suggested are palliatives only. Methods cannot change unless the motive of national action changes, in the direction of recognizing that the interests which nations have in common are actually more important than those which they have separately.

"The statesmen who made the deliberations of the Peace Conference secret could only be justified on the supposition that freedom from outside interference would enable them promptly to agree on a solution which in its completeness would be accepted as equitable and wise by the public opinion of the nations." That expectation was not fulfilled.

"The worst failing of modern diplomacy is the attempt to cover with idealist professions and talk of protecting integrity and independence, specific aims tending to a contrary result.

"Whether or not secret diplomacy brought on the great war is a question to debate, but that secret diplomacy is to blame for the war being not in fact yet ended few will doubt.

"The most notable single act of loyalty to a cause greater than a nation stands to the credit of the United States when she readily put her troops under foreign command; that spirit is the true reason why so great an influence could be exercised by the United States should she desire, counter to all the cherished devices of the old diplomacy.

"It is only when deceived or not fully informed that the people may be said to favor war more than the diplomats.

"What is needed in the United States is a free masonry of thinking men and women who will at all times keep their attention on foreign affairs, who will insist on publicity, and who will in turn point out to the greater public, mostly busy with other affairs, whatever deeply concerns our welfare and interest in foreign relations."

TO HELP POLISH TRADE.

American Business Committee to Work With Poles Here.

The Polish Government has authorized the appointment of a committee of American business men to act as advisers to the commercial representatives of Poland in the United States. The committee includes manufacturers and bankers and will act with the Polish Purchasing Bureau at 40 West Fortieth Street. The names were made public yesterday by the American-Polish Chamber of Commerce. They are: Francois de St. Phalle, Vice President of the Baldwin Locomotive Works; J. Philip Bird, General Manager of the Association of Manufacturers; D. Raymond Noyes, Vice President of the Foreign Credit Corporation, and H. S. Dennerst, Vice President of the American Manufacturers' Export Association.

Prince Casimir Lubomirski, the Polish Minister, has written to Mr. St. Phalle, expressing his approval of the committee. The first problem to be studied jointly by the committee and the Polish commercial officials will be the establishing of credit relations between the textile manufacturers of Lodz and Warsaw and the cotton interests of the South. A meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon.

SUGAR CONTRACT UPHELD.

Candy Company Must Pay High Price Agreed Upon, Court Rules.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—The Continental Candy Company of Chicago must pay $10.86 a hundred pounds for 1,250 tons of Java sugar, which sells on the market now for $7, Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe of the United States District Court decided today in declaring valid a contract signed last May by the company.

The candy company sought last November to repudiate the contract made on a rising market with the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company of this city. Letters of credit involving $500,000 covering the contract were involved.

Judge Bledsoe said the candy company should fill its contract "like a sport," even if it meant bankruptcy.

RETICENT ON DE VALERA.

"President's" Secretary Says He Has Been Ill and Needs Quiet.

Harry Boland, secretary to Eamon de Valera, "President of the Irish Republic," insisted again yesterday that he was not at liberty to disclose de Valera's whereabouts. Mr. Boland repeated that the public would soon hear from the "President" probably within the next few days.

"You must appreciate the hardships under which we are working," Boland said. "I do not mean by that that I think Mr. de Valera is in danger, but he has been ill and wants quiet."

Award $5,000 in Alienation Suit.

A jury in Sheriff Knott's court gave a verdict for $5,000 yesterday in a suit of Sidney Oppenheim, an architect, against William Connelly an accountant for the Crane Manufacturing Company, for alienating the affections of Mrs. Laura O'Keefe Oppenheim. Before her marriage on April 3, 1915, Miss O'Keefe was a telephone operator at the Biltmore.

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This plant was designed and installed by our own engineers. On the occasion of the visit of a commission from the city of London to study milk handling methods in this country, this plant was selected as a model for one which is now being erected by the United Dairies Co. which handles 30% of London's milk supply.

At their invitation, our chief dairy engineer is now in London for the purpose of supervising the installation of this duplicate of our Brooklyn plant.

The year has seen an increase in milk prices to a point higher than New York has ever known. We are glad the peak has been passed, and that the return to normal conditions has definitely set in.

Notwithstanding the price increases, the demand for Sheffield Service has been greater than our ability to provide equipment to meet these demands. Wagons, bottles, coal, machinery and other essentials have been hard to procure. In spite of this we have had a year of tremendous expansion.

Our increase of business alone represents a volume larger than the entire distribution of any other milk concern in New York excepting two.

We cannot but regard this as an endorsement of Sheffield Milk and Sheffield Methods and we promise to do our level best to continue to deserve it.

To physicians and mothers who are interested in Certified Milk we want to announce the addition to our Certified Milk supply of two new farms.

One of these is at Pawling, New York, on the Harlem Division. Here we have accommodation for 250 cows.

The other is at Pompton Plains, New Jersey, where we will eventually have 400 cows.

Both of these farms are ideally located and are owned and operated by ourselves.

The farm at Pompton Plains, only 22 miles away, will provide an opportunity for working out some ideas we have for milk production near the city. There will be no railroad to reckon with. Motor trucks will be operated over the entire route. There will be no change in transport between Farm and City. We expect this farm to do something in the way of history making in the milk business.

The Sheffield Stores have grown to an imposing institution of over two hundred stations where milk can be bought in your own container without the charges for bottling and delivery.

This combination of store and wagon service has had the effect of making New York's average milk bill lower per quart than any other city in the East.

A few years ago we had but sixty stores doing a business of about $1,000,000.00 a year. Now there are over 200 and doing nearly $10,000,000.00 a year. This alone is proof positive that these stores have served a real need and have supplied it in a way that meets your approval.

In rounding out the 40 years of active service in the milk trade, we cannot help recognizing that in every important advance in the milk industry we have been the real pioneers.

Our record is one of continuous struggle to do better. Now after 40 years we are still building. The desire to advance is stronger than ever.

For the years to come we promise to give our undivided efforts to every measure that will tend to give New York the best milk supply and the best milk service in the world.

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SECRETARY COLBY REACHES URUGUAY

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CITY IN GALA ATTIRE

Greeted at Palace by President—Varied Program of Entertainment Prepared.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 28.—Secretary Colby and his party arrived at Montevideo this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Florida anchored ten miles out. The American Minister, the Foreign Minister and the Admiral of the Uruguayan fleet and his staff came out on a gunboat to meet the Florida, accompanied by airplanes. The party was carried to the city on the gunboat.

At the pier 10,000 soldiers were drawn up to receive them. The mission was driven to the palace after a parade and welcomed by the President.

Entertainment on a grand scale is planned during the stay here. The town is placarded with posters telling the people that Secretary Colby is here from the United States and to salute him. There is open house everywhere for the American party. There will be a dinner tomorrow at the palace.

The city is decorated with flags in honor of the Americans, and a hotel has been set apart for their entertainment.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—A varied program of entertainment awaits Secretary Colby and will continue until Friday night. In addition to other functions planned in his honor, there have been added a ball by the American colony, a dancing party by the Uruguayan Club and a banquet by the municipality. Elaborate police arrangements were made today to control the throngs gathered to greet the Secretary at the pier.

Two Dominican agents, Francisco Henriquez Carvajal, former President of San Domingo, and his nephew, Max Henriquez y Urena, who are here in the interest of their country, are staying at the Parque Hotel, where Mr. Colby will stop here, but they said yesterday they had no intention of discussing the independence of San Domingo with Mr. Colby. They declared they were pleased with the recent announcement from Washington that the United States Government planned soon to permit elections in San Domingo, but asserted they would not abandon their mission, as it was their desire to make South Americans better acquainted with San Domingo. They contend that island is entitled to play a larger role in Pan-American affairs.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 28.—Immediately after the arrival of Secretary of State Colby in this city on Saturday he will be received by Señor Torello, acting Minister of Foreign Affairs, who will accompany him to the office of President Irigoyen. On Sunday Mr. Colby will be a guest at an official banquet at the Government House. Plans for the entertainment of Mr. Colby in this city have not been definitely settled.

A popular welcome is being arranged by various organizations, and a number of vessels have been chartered to meet the Secretary's ship at the entrance to the harbor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President Wilson received today a reply to his message of congratulations to President Alessandri of Chile on the occasion of the inauguration of the Chilean Executive.

"I again thankfully acknowledge your Excellency's affectionate congratulation on my assuming the chief magistracy of the Republic of Chile," said President Alessandri's message, "and renew to your Excellency the sincere expression of my wish to bring closer the commercial, moral and intellectual ties with the great people of the United States, whom you have so brilliantly represented of late years in a proud manner that does honor to humanity by bringing forth principles of justice and law that constitute new and wise rules for the peoples of the civilized globe.

"I again make wishes for your Excellency's personal happiness, the early and full recovery of your health and the greatness and prosperity of the American people."

NAMES COAL SPECULATORS.

G. H. Cushing Gives Additional Information to Senate Committee.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The names of two more Government officials who are alleged to have taken advantage of the fuel crisis last Summer to speculate in bituminous coal have been given to the Senate Committee on Reconstruction.

George H. Cushing, Managing Director of the American Wholesale Coal Association, according to the report tonight, divulged the names of the two men. Last week Mr. Cushing gave the name of a former Government official whom he charged with having made a considerable sum by speculating in coal. He also said he knew of one army officer who had made money in coal. Whether or not this officer's name is among those divulged today is not stated.

The committee may have a hearing tomorrow at which Mr. Cushing may be recalled to tell in detail what he knows about profiteering in coal. He is certain to be called before the end of the week. Officials of the War and Navy Departments and the Shipping Board are also to be questioned regarding their fuel contracts.

DOUBTS AVIATOR'S SUICIDE.

Sister of Pat O'Brien Says an Investigation Will Be Made.

MOMENCE, Ill., Dec. 28.—Believing that her brother, Lieutenant Pat O'Brien, the war aviator who was found dead in a Los Angeles hotel two weeks ago, was murdered, Mrs. Clara Clegg, sister of the dead man, said today that an investigation would be made. Mrs. Clegg said her brother, Merwin O'Brien, and Virgil Moore, an associate of the dead man, had sufficient evidence to warrant an investigation.

Mrs. Clegg said she believed the note which was thought to have been written by the aviator was written by some one else.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 28.—Police officers and the County Coroner here today said they knew nothing of any further investigation of the circumstances surrounding the death of Lieutenant Pat O'Brien. They said their information had shown it clearly a suicide and that the Coroner's certificate had so stated.

CARDINAL GIBBONS GAINS.

Physician Thinks He May Be Able to Return to Baltimore Next Week.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 28.—Continued improvement in Cardinal Gibbons's condition was reported today from Union Mills, Md., where he is staying at the home of Robert T. Shriver. Mr. Shriver said the Cardinal had passed a comfortable night and appeared much rested. He was bright and cheerful.

The Cardinal's physician said today that if the prelate continued to gain strength he would soon be able to return to Baltimore, probably in about a week.

ROME, Dec. 27.—Reports of the serious illness of Cardinal Gibbons have caused regret in this city, especially in ecclesiastical circles. Pope Benedict has ordered that special prayers be said for the Cardinal, while prayers are also being offered daily at the church of Santa Maria in Trastevere, which is the titular church of the Cardinal.

Actress Brings Alienation Suit.

Evelyn Carter Carrington, actress, filed suit in the Supreme Court yesterday against David Henly and his wife, Alice Neuman Henly, for $50,000 for alienating the affections of her husband, Reginald Carrington Short, whom she married in 1918. She alleges that the Henlys caused Short to leave her and transfer his affections to Mrs. Henly, and that they induced him to go with them to Los Angeles and New Orleans.

Hospital Ship Relief Enters Service.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—The hospital ship Relief, launched Dec. 23, 1919, was commissioned as a unit of the navy today at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. It is the first vessel of its kind to be constructed expressly for naval high seas maintenance and operation and has a bed capacity for 500 patients.

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However, we have determined to dispose of our stocks to the general public at once, regardless of any threats. Therefore, you can now walk into our New York factory at 810 Broadway and select really fine suits and overcoats for men and young men far below regular retail prices.

In other words, all wool suits and overcoats, cut on advanced patterns, for which regular retail stores ask you $40 to $50, we will sell you at $20 and $25; those that retail at $60 and $70, we will dispose of at $30 and $35—absolutely no higher, and we guarantee the cloth and trimmings to be as good as used in clothing anywhere.

And, bear in mind, you have our guarantee to refund your money within three days if you are not satisfied with the value received.

Further, to prove that our prices are not exaggerated one lots, you are privileged to see our books and actual contracts with retail concerns, showing that this offer is not only legitimate but most remarkable and that we are really standing a big loss.

The above prices and actual savings will give you an idea of the tremendous opportunity that we now place before men and young men of this city who believe in a reduction of prices and demand fair play.

We ask your help and co-operation, guaranteeing every word in this statement the absolute truth. Do us the justice of at least investigating the facts herein stated.

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M'GANNON ON STAND IN HIS OWN DEFENSE

Cleveland Judge Assails Miss Neely's Evidence and Denies Part in Murder.

KAGY STATEMENT REJECTED

Prosecution Closes Its Case and Arguments Are Expected to Begin This Morning.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 28.—Judge William H. McGannon of the Municipal Court, charged with the second degree murder of Harold C. Kagy, took the stand in his own behalf today and denied all knowledge of the accusations made against him. He was the last witness for the defense.

The State announced its case closed, but reserved the right to call in rebuttal James P. McGaffery, who testified he was driving Miss Mary E. Neely, chief witness for the State, around the city in an automobile at the time of the shooting. Miss Neely testified several days ago that she stood at Oregon Avenue and East Ninth Street and saw McGannon take something from his pocket. Simultaneously a shot was fired and Kagy lurched forward.

It is expected the case will go to the jury late tomorrow.

T. J. Moffett, Chairman of the Grievance Committee of the Cleveland Bar Association, was called in rebuttal by the State today after Judge McGannon had concluded his testimony. Moffett testified he visited Ninth Street and Hamilton Avenue, the scene of the Kagy shooting, with Miss Neely, County Prosecutor Roland Baskin, Assistant Prosecutor Green and A. V. Abernathy, Secretary of the Cleveland Bar Association, and rehearsed the principal events of Miss Neely's story.

Moffett declared he could see figures at Hamilton Avenue plainly from Oregon Avenue, two blocks away, where Miss Neely claims to have stood. This was in rebuttal of testimony of defense witnesses yesterday that Miss Neely could not have seen the shooting, as she claims.

McGannon assailed Miss Neely's story. He told his story deliberately and calmly, except where he emphasized his answers by raising his voice. When asked by W. H. Boyd, chief counsel for the defense, if he had killed Kagy, Judge McGannon's voice shook with emotion as he answered:

"No, sir, of course I did not."

There was a positive ring in his voice as he replied "I was not" to the question as to whether he was present at the shooting.

At another point during cross-examination by Prosecutor Baskin, McGannon showed strong emotion. Asked if he would have the jury believe that he got out of automobile at Ninth Street and Euclid Avenue, five blocks from the scene of the shooting, and walked to a street car so that John W. Joyce, to whom he apparently was under no obligations, could ride, the Judge replied vigorously:

"Whatever I say, I expect them to believe."

Judge McGannon was cross-examined by Prosecutor Baskin for one hour and fifteen minutes, but failed to change his story on any material points.

Judge McGannon testified that Miss Neely had proposed to him that she take the blame for the shooting and that he had declined her offer. This came as a climax to his story at the morning session after he had denied flatly the testimony of Joyce, as to their drinking on the night of the shooting. He also contradicted Miss Neely's testimony that he had offered her $500 to change her story as given to Prosecutor Baskin and the Grand Jury.

Judge McGannon also denied having met Miss Neely many times, as she testified. He declared he met her only twice during this year.

Attempts of counsel for the defense to introduce a statement signed by Kagy as a "dying declaration" were unsuccessful. Judge Bernon ruled out the statement, inasmuch as no evidence had been introduced to prove Kagy knew he was dying.

Mrs. Anna McGannon, wife of the Judge, was one of the five defense witnesses today.

Arguments will be begun tomorrow morning, each side has been granted three hours.

2,500 CANARIES ARRIVE.

Consignments of Parrots and Monkeys Also Reach Port.

The canary bird market, which had been sadly depleted during the war, was brightened up yesterday by the arrival of 2,500 yellow warblers from the Hars Mountains, brought over on the steamship F. J. Luckenbach via Rotterdam. Officers of the ship said that the canaries sang all day long on the trip, the cold weather not appearing to have any effect on their throats or spirits.

The American freighter Lake Bilboa arrived yesterday from Central American ports with 150 long-haired monkeys and 200 cages of parrots. According to members of the crew, some of the monkeys got loose after leaving port and made things unpleasant for the men until they were secured. One of the monkeys emptied a bottle of cayenne pepper into a boiler of pea soup and stirred it up, imitating the cook. Another monkey got a bottle of cayenne pepper from a locker and sprinkled the contents over the red-hot galley stove, and in a few minutes the engineers and other occupants of cabins in the vicinity had to crawl down the alleyway on their hands and knees, sneezing violently.

EUGENE WALTER BANKRUPT.

Playwright Files Voluntary Petition —Debts, $7,479; Assets, 0.

Eugene Walter, the playwright, became a voluntary bankrupt yesterday by filing with the Federal Court a petition stating that he owed $7,479 and was entirely without assets. The year 1919, when Mr. Walter wrote "The Challenge," was his bad year. Nearly all of his liabilities were created then.

For money borrowed he owes Max Hart $2,100, Harry Wolf $400 and Archibald Selwyn $200. In the same year he received from David Belasco $500 as an advance payment, and obtained "merchandise" from Herman Bach of the value of $500 and from Thomas Healy and the Friars Club of the value of $700. Other debts are: Judge J. H. White, San Francisco, for professional services, $500; Reisenweber's, "merchandise," $212; Charles B. Towne Hospital, services, $100 and L. Booth & Son, $440.

Among Mr. Walter's best known plays are "The Easiest Way," "The Wolf," and "Paid in Full."

REFORMED RABBIS ELECT.

New York Association Names Officers for the Coming Year.

At the annual meeting of the Association of Reformed Rabbis of New York and Vicinity at a luncheon in the Café Boulevard yesterday, Rabbi Joseph Silverman was unanimously chosen as Honorary President, and other officers for 1921 were chosen as follows:

Rabbi Samuel Schulman of Temple Beth-El, President; Rabbi Rudolph Grossman of Temple Rodeph Shalom, Vice President; Rabbi Jacob H. Tatelbaum of Yonkers, Treasurer; Rabbi Richard M. Stern of New Rochelle, Secretary.

SAYS HE GOT PLEDGE ON FARM LEGISLATION

J. R. Howard Asserts Members of Congress Assured Him Their Program Would Be Enacted.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—A platform of legislation designed to provide relief for agricultural credits was announced today by J. R. Howard, President of the American Farm Bureau Federation, upon his return from Washington, where the proposal was placed before members of Congress. Assurance that legislation as outlined would be incorporated in bills to be drafted immediately was given him by committee members, Mr. Howard said.

The Federation's proposed measures as the means of relief were:

Regulatory power over farmers' co-operative marketing associations should be in the hands of the United States Department of Agriculture rather than the Federal Trade Commission.

The farmers' co-operative marketing movement must not be hindered by the provisions of the Sherman law, enacted to control trusts and not with any intent to curb co-operation for the benefit of the public at large.

The Federal Reserve act should be amended so as to provide preferential rates for loans for productive purposes over loans for speculative purposes.

The Warehousing act should be extended so as to serve the needs of both individuals and co-operative associations, carrying with it a rural credits plan to aid marketing of crops.

The Federal Land Bank System should be extended to provide farmers personal credit.

Fined $150 for Having Bad Eggs.

Magistrate Brough, in the City Magistrate's Court yesterday fined the Federal French Pastry Company of 288 East Third Street $150 when inspectors of the Health Department complained to the court that they had found 90 pounds of rotten eggs in the company's bakery.

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1 at 80.00—was 165.00
1 at 125.00—was 250.00
1 at 175.00—was 350.00

54x54 in.

2 at $25.00—were $50.00
2 at 32.50—were 65.00
1 at 55.00—was 110.00
8 at 37.50—were 75.00
1 at $62.50—was 125.00
1 at 60.50—was 120.00
2 at 82.50—were 165.00
2 at 75.00—were 150.00
1 at 100.00—was 200.00
1 at 150.00—was 300.00

60x60 in.

4 at $37.50—were $75.00
1 at 25.00—was 50.00
1 at 30.00—was 60.00
2 at 45.00—were 90.00
2 at 50.00—were 100.00
2 at 55.00—were 110.00
2 at 62.50—were 125.00
1 at 65.00—was 135.00
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1 at 15.00—was 30.00
2 at 30.00—were 60.00
3 at 40.00—were 125.00
4 at 45.00—were 100.00
3 at 65.00—were 130.00
3 at $17.50—were $35.00
2 at 19.50—were 40.00
4 at 37.50—were 75.00
4 at 42.50—were 85.00
1 at 50.00—was 110.00
3 at 75.00—were 150.00

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THE PLAY

By Alexander Woollcott

A New O'Neill Play.

The new plays by Eugene O'Neill come thick and fast, and the latest one to be revealed in Macdougal Street illustrates as well as any why each as it comes along stands out as an event in the dramatic year. This is "Diff'rent," a short piece in two acts, which is part of the second bill of the Provincetown Players, for which room has been made at their theatre by the transfer of "The Emperor Jones" to the Selwyn.

"Diff'rent" is set in a New England parlor of some seaport village, its first scene visiting that room in the Spring of 1890 and the second returning to it just thirty years later. In the first you see an exacting young woman austerely breaking her promise to wed a shame-faced Captain, who has returned blushing from a whaling voyage pursued by a facetious tale about some escapade of his with a native girl in some island where they had put in for water.

The same woman reigns in the same parlor thirty years later—still a spinster, but one clutching frantically with her hair dye and her cosmetics to the squandered youth, and, through a scene of almost intolerable discomfort, you must watch her angling boldly, awkwardly, hopelessly for the attentions of a gad-about young soldier, who lounges about the pitifully refurbished parlor and regales her with hints of his gay life overseas. For the sake of this ironic and caustic contrast the play was written, and that much attended to, O'Neill seems to have lost interest. At least, he lets the play stumble on to a dull and conventional conclusion. But before his own interest has flagged, yours cannot, for no American playwright can write such dramatic dialogue as his.

"Diff'rent" is no easy piece to play and it is creditably managed in Macdougal Street, with excellent work being done by Mary Blair as the woman and by Charles Ellis as the soldier. It is preceded by a shorter play called "What D'You Want?" a farce by Lawrence Vail.

Stars to Appear for Actors' Fund.

Among those who will appear at the forthcoming benefit for the Actors' Fund, which will take place at the Century Theatre on Friday afternoon, Jan. 21, will be Margaret Anglin, Nora Bayes, Florence Reed, May Irwin, Marilynn Miller, Patricia Collinge, Frances White, Julia Arthur, Ade Mae Weeks, Holbrook Blinn, Frank Bacon, Leon Errol, Edmund Breese, Frank Craven, Edgar Selwyn, Frederick Truesdell, William Faversham, Alphonz Ethier and Harry C. Browne.

There will be seven sketches on the program, one to be written by James Forbes, and a group of girls, with a hundred sailors from the Navy Yard, will appear in a pageant arranged by Alexander Leftwich. Mrs. Blake has purchased the first gallery seat for $50.

Virginia Mauret, Dancer, Applauded.

Virginia Mauret, a promising débutante, in a program of dances at Carnegie Hall last evening, and perhaps the forerunner of many such débuts hereafter, had the high authority of Michael Fokine for a number of her interpretations, given with full symphony orchestra under the direction of Erno Rapee of the Capitol Theatre. It was an ambitious list she chose from Bach, Chopin and Edgar Samuels and Tschaikowsky, each dance preceded by an orchestral interlude from the corresponding composer. Miss Mauret is young; she has years to gain the dramatic training to dominate a stage thus for hours, yet she displayed not a little skill in the sheer technique of tiptoe dancing; while her girlish enthusiasm, grace and charm won and held the attention and applause of a large audience.

Alberta Burton Weds Broker.

Alberta Burton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund F. Burton of 114 East Seventy-first Street, who acts opposite Arnold Daly in "The Tavern," and David L. Meyer, son of Leopold Meyer, a banker, were married on the evening of Dec. 19 before a Justice of the Peace at Greenwich, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer will spend their honeymoon in Europe, leaving this country early in the Summer. Until their departure Mrs. Meyer will continue to play her role in "The Tavern." The bride was born in Chicago, where her father was a surgeon in the Cook County Hospital. Mr. Meyer, whose parents reside at 285 Central Park West, is a rubber broker.

Metropolitan Operas for Next Week.

The Metropolitan will give a Verdi-Mascagni concert next Sunday, when the singers will include Destinn, Ponselle, Perini and Marion Telva. Gigli, Kingston, Danise and Mardones. For the season's eighth week, the operas are "Don Carlos" next Monday, sung by Ponselle, Matzenauer, Martinelli, De Luca and Didur; Wednesday "Carmen," Farrar, Sundelius, Martinelli, Amato and Rothier; Thursday, "Oberon," Peneslle, Delannois, Gordon, Kingston, Diaz, Martino; Friday, "Tristan," Matzenauer, Gordon, Sembach, Whitehill, Gustafson and Saturday, matinee, "Butterfly," Farrar, Crimi and Scotti. "Mefistofele," with Alda, Gigli and Mardones, will be sung on Saturday evening, Jan. 8, for the benefit of the Italian Hospital.

Mexican Pianist in Novel Recital.

Ernesto Berumen, the Mexican pianist and a pioneer of the Pan-Americans before Novaes on the local stage, appeared at Aeolian Hall yesterday afternoon for the first time this season in a recital of much interest and musical novelty. His talent for the picturesque carried his hearers into forgotten byways from Handel to Brahms, with fresher trifles of Granados, Cortot, Palmgren and Dohnanyi. There was no less of novelty, though less of charm, in Sgambati's "Nenia," and an unfamiliar theme with variations by Chevillard.

26 Nations' Envoye at Vatican.

ROME, Dec. 27.—Twenty-six countries are now represented diplomatically at the Holy See. This is a gain of twelve countries since 1914, as shown by official communications at the Vatican.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The Passing Show of 1921" will open tonight at the Winter Garden.

"Three Birds," in which Pat Rooney and Marion Bent will be seen, will open Friday night in Reading, Pa. The cast will also include Elisabeth Murray, Eva Davenport, Sylvia Ford, Juanita Lee, Elisabeth Risdon and Evelyn Cavanaugh.

Two performances will be given in all the Keith vaudeville houses on New Year's Eve. They will begin at 7:30 and 10:30 o'clock, except at the Palace, where the second show will begin at 11.

Michael Morton's play, "Woman to Woman," will be played for the first time in Stamford on Friday night. A. H. Woods is the producer.

The Stuyvesant will present three one-act plays at the Broadhall Playhouse on Sunday night, Jan. 2 and 16. On the bill will be Alice Gerstenberg's "Overtones," Ritz Wellman's "Punch of Pumpkin" and "The Noble Lord," by Percival Wilde.

MUSIC NOTES.

Josef Stransky and the Philharmonic Orchestra have volunteered their services in a musical program at the Waldorf-Astoria this afternoon for the benefit of the Women's Auxiliary of the Stuyvesant Polyclinic.

Toscanini and the Scala Orchestra will appear at Carnegie Hall on Monday next for the Italian Welfare League. They also play this evening, Saturday in Brooklyn, Jan. 11 at the Metropolitan and Jan. 16 in Newark.

Albert Coates of London will make his first appearance in America tomorrow afternoon with the New York Symphony Orchestra, playing works of Purcell and Elgar and the "London Symphony" of Vaughan Williams.

Margaret Matzenauer will again sing Kundry in "Parsifal" at the Metropolitan on Friday afternoon, relieving Florence Easton, who is to expect Saturday in the revival of Mattenauer's "Amore dei Tre Re."

NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES AND SUCCESSES.

EMPIRE B'way & 40th St. Evgs. at 8:15. Mats. TODAY & Sat., 2:15. "One of the plays all lovers of the theatre should see and then again."—Tribune. Ruth Chatterton "BARRIE at his best."—Herald. MARY ROSE. J. M. BARRIE'S NEW PLAY.

BELASCO WEST 44 ST. EVGS. AT 8:15. MATS. TOM'W & SAT. 2:15. LIONEL ATWILL in the New Play "DEBURAU" By Sacha Guitry, adapted by Granville Barker.

LYCEUM Theatre, W. 45th St. Evgs. 8:30. Mats. Tom'w & Sat., 2:30. INA CLAIRE in "THE GOLD DIGGERS" by Avery Hopwood.

BRAMHALL 138 E. 27th St. Evgs. 8:30. Matinees Wed. & Sat., 2:30. Mixed Marriage by St. John Ervine

HENRY MILLER'S THEATRE, 124 W. 43d. Evgs. 8:20. MATS. TOM'W & SAT. 2:30. Patricia Collinge "A Veritable Genius."—Eve. Post JUST SUPPOSE A. E. THOMAS' NEW PLAY.

LAST 6 TIMES CORT West 48 St. Evgs. 8:20. Mats. Today & Sat., 2:30. JIM JAM JEMS The Sizzling Musical Hit. MONDAY, JAN. 3—SEATS SELLING. Margaret Lawrence—Arthur Byron IN THE "TRANSPLANTING JEAN" COMEDY.

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COHAN & HARRIS Th., W. 42 St. Ev. 8:15. Mats. Wed., Fri., Sat. WELCOME STRANGER with GEORGE SIDNEY.

GAIETY B'way, 46th St. Evs. 8:30. MATINEE TODAY. JOHN GOLDEN Presents FRANK BACON 'LIGHTNIN'

NEW AMSTERDAM—MATS. WED. & SAT. POP. MAT. TODAY, 50c to $2.50. Ziegfeld Production Marilynn Miller Leon Errol in Sally

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GEO. M. COHAN THEATRE, B'way, 43d St. Evgs. 8:20. GEO. M. COHAN'S PRODUCTION THE TAVERN GREATEST MYSTERY OF THEM ALL. ARNOLD DALY as the Vagabond.

KNICKERBOCKER B'way, 38th St. Mats. This Week: Wed., Thurs., Fri. & Sat. GEO. M. COHAN'S Comedians MARY (ISN'T IT A GRAND OLD NAME?)

HUDSON WEST 44TH ST. Evgs. 8:30. Mats. Wed., Thurs. Fri., Sat. GEO. M. COHAN'S production of THE MEANEST MAN IN THE WORLD MR. COHAN in the Title Role.

GLOBE Evgs. 8:30. Mats. Wed. & Sat. FRED STONE "TIP-TOP" Extra Holiday Matinee Friday, Dec. 31. Punch & Judy 49th, E. of B'y. Evs. 8:30. Reg. Mats. Fri. & Sat. 2:30. EXTRA MATS. TO-DAY & TO-M'W., 2:30. A CLARE KUMMER Comedy ROLLO'S WILD OAT OLAND YOUNG

MANHATTAN OPERA HOUSE. TONIGHT, TOMORROW NIGHT & SAT. MAT. LEHAR'S operetta, "WO DIE LERCHE SINGT" (Where the Lark Sings). TOM'W & SAT. EVGS., LECOCQ'S "GIROFLE-GIROFLA." Prices 50c to $2.50. THIS AFT. AT 2:30, "SCHNEEWITTCHEN UND DIE SIEBEN ZWERGE." Snow White and the 7 Dwarfs). TOM'W & FRI. AFT., "ASCHENBROEDEL" (Cinderella). Prices 25c to $1.

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TODAY. By WILLIAM FOX.

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DANIEL CARSON GOODMAN, NOTED NOVELIST AND PLAYWRIGHT, ATTENDED AT THE BROADHURST YESTERDAY. TODAY HE WROTE ME AND SAID:

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Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The Treasury Department is distributing circulars announcing that in January Post Offices and other national agencies, including banks and trust companies, will begin the sale of four classes of Treasury savings securities. These embrace Thrift Stamps at 25 cents each; Savings Stamps at $1 each; War Savings Stamps at $5 each, and Savings Certificates in denominations of $25, $100 and $1,000. Secretary Houston of the Treasury thus explains the character of these securities:

"The 1921 securities consist of the twenty-five-cent Thrift Stamp which bears no interest and is used to evidence payments on account of War Savings Stamps and Certificates; the $1 Treasury Savings Stamp which bears no interest and is used to evidence payments on account of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates; the $5 War Saving Stamp and the registered Treasury Savings Certificates in denominations of $25, $100 and $1,000 (maturity value). As in previous years, the issue price of the War Savings Stamp is $4.12 in January, and increases 1 cent a month to $4.23 in December. The issue price of the $25 certificates is $20.60 in January, and increases at the rate of 9 cents a month to $21.15 in December, and the issue price of the $100 certificate is $82.40 in January, and increases at the rate of 36 cents a month to $86.95 in December. The $1,000 certificate will be sold for $824 in January, and the price increases at the rate of $2 a month to $846 in December.

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BLUE LAW FILM DENOUNCED.

Lord's Day Alliance Demands Withdrawal of Parade Pictures.

For circulating moving pictures of a parade held here a few weeks ago, in which floats showed the punishments that might be meted out to offenders against the "blue laws," the Pathe Exchange was attacked yesterday by H. L. Bowlby, General Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance. In a letter to Paul Brunet, President of the exchange, Mr. Bowlby declared the pictures to constitute libel against society and demanded their withdrawal.

In the absence of Mr. Brunet, who is in California, an official of the company said that the letter would be ignored.

"We have as much right to show pictures of the parade as a newspaper has to report it," he added, "and Mr. Bowlby's letter does not deserve even a reply."

1,200 DINE JUSTICE HARTMAN

Prominent Guests Pay Honors to New Member of City Court.

About 1,200 friends of Justice-elect Gustave Hartman of the City Court gave him a dinner at the Hotel Astor last night, under the auspices of the Independent Order Brith Abraham, of which he is Grand Master. Representatives of the judiciary and Federal, state and city officials were among the guests.

In the absence of Nathan Straus, Judge Otto Rosalsky was toastmaster. Among the speakers were Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, Judge Leon Sanders, Samuel S. Koenig, Chairman of the Republican County Committee; President F. H. La Guardia of the Board of Aldermen, and Henry H. Curran, Borough President of Manhattan.

HOSTS TO TOSCANINI.

Walter Damrosch and His Men Entertain Musicians After Concert.

Walter Damrosch and the hundred players of the New York Symphony Society, in return for courtesies shown to them during their tour of Italy earlier this year, were hosts to Toscanini and the Scala Orchestra's men at an "Italian dinner" at Enrico & Gloffe's restaurant, in West Forty-eighth Street, following the first concert of the Scala players last night at the Metropolitan. Among 250 guests invited to meet Mr. Toscanini were Otto H. Kahn, Paul D. Cravath, Felix Warburg, Henry W. Taft, Harry Harkness Flagler, Daniel Frohman, Alexander Lambert, Artur Bodansky, Ossip Gabrilowitsch, Albert Coates, Harold Bauer, Frank Damrosch, David Mannes, George Engles and many others representing music in New York. Walter Damrosch, as toastmaster, paid a warm tribute to the visiting musicians as well as to their countrymen at home who had given so hearty a welcome to the first American orchestra ever heard in Europe.

ART NOTES.

John C. Da Silva Collection Shown in Anderson Galleries.

The collection of John C. Da Silva, on view at the Anderson Galleries, is significant of the tendency, happily growing, of American collectors to assemble their collections in the interest of their own pleasure and their household needs. It is not a museum group of unrelated objects, although it contains a number of museum pieces, but such a group as would fit without crowding into any of the stately houses now disintegrating into small apartments.

The section of furniture includes an elaborate set of boulle of the time of Louis Philippe, the background of ebony veneer closely covered with inlay in red tortoise shell and thin ormolu. The sumptuous effect is dignified by the precision and delicacy of the workmanship which bears comparison with most similar work of the earlier and more celebrated periods. Other sets and separate pieces are of mahogany, rosewood and walnut, a remarkably fine Queen Anne table representing adequately the beauty of walnut in the hands of a cabinet maker wise enough to limit first of his proportions and second in surfaces and second, of his elaborately carved detail.

The section of porcelain and glass is dominated by "Chinese Lowestoft," the much debated ware made and decorated in China for the use of Europeans, entering presumably through the East India Company. A large dinner service of eighty-two pieces is unusually good in the character of its red and gold decoration and the designs of the dish middles.

MUSIC

By Richard Aldrich

Arturo Toscanini Conducts.

There was a tumult of welcome last evening for Arturo Toscanini when he appeared at the Metropolitan Opera House for the first time since he left it at the close of the operatic season of 1914-15. The welcome was given in applause and cheers by an audience that filled the Opera House to its utmost capacity behind the railings as well as in every seat on floor and galleries and in the boxes. It was an audience not only of a popular character, but also one largely of music lovers, including many distinguished musicians. And in one of the boxes, decorated with the Italian and American flags, was a party that included the Italian Ambassador.

All this demonstration of enthusiasm was occasioned by the first performance of the Italian orchestra that Mr. Toscanini has brought over with him for a series of concerts through the country.

Mr. Toscanini, after all his years in the Metropolitan Opera House, was hardly known in New York as a symphonic conductor. There are memories, vivid still, many, no doubt, of one concert that he conducted in the opera house in April, 1913, and repeated a few days later, made notable by his reading of Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. There was desire to hear him again, and the next season a series of concerts was planned that he was to conduct; but he fell ill and the project had to be given up. The present undertaking is no doubt largely prompted and will be supported by the same desires, the promoters of it could not believe that International contrabands will add something to the significance of the affair.

Much has been said about the quality of the orchestra, culled from the whole of musical Italy. But the quality of the orchestra did not add much to the distinction of the occasion. It is a large body, but it was not notable for fullness, richness nor body of tone, as it sounded last evening. It is true that the Metropolitan Opera House does not yield the best acoustical results to orchestras playing on its stage, even when the stage is built out over the orchestra pit, as it was for this concert. But other orchestras in the same position have sounded better than this one last evening. The strings seemed to lack not only brilliancy but amplitude and solidity. Nor were there unusual excellences at once apparent in most of the wood, wind and brass, though there were passages in which they did themselves credit.

The orchestra has obviously been moulded and trained by Mr. Toscanini to respond admirably to his wishes in many respects if not quite in all. It reduces its tone on his demand to a whispered pianissimo, to a pianissimo in fact, of a very low audibility, in which remarkable clearness of articulation is generally maintained.

But the other extreme of dynamics is less remarkable and a true and vigorous sonority is not often to be heard. Mr. Toscanini often indulged in strong contrasts. There is a very clear tracing of the inner voices, a fine discrimination in their shades of dynamics. There is an inherent and underlying rhythmic pulse in all that Mr. Toscanini does, a well remembered quality of his conducting in all forms of music, and there is always a fine breadth of phrasing and ideally modeled, a sure and delicate lending of the melodic line.

Mr. Toscanini's first program was somewhat curiously contrived. It began with Vivaldi's concerto in A minor for string orchestra in the arrangement of Sam Franko of this city. Beethoven's fifth symphony; the second of Debussy's set of "orchestral pictures" called "Iberia," including three movements; Respighi's symphonic poem "Fountains of Rome," and the prelude and finale scene from Wagner's "Tristan und Isolde." Before this began Mr. Toscanini brought the audience to its feet by playing "The Star-Spangled Banner" and then the Italian national hymn.

Vivaldi's concerto showed the strings to better advantage than they appeared again. It was a vigorous and at the same time a delicate performance, treating the archaic style of Vivaldi from an essentially musical point of view, not an archæological. It was in Beethoven's symphony that Mr. Toscanini raised the most questions among his admirers. He employed no little freedom of tempo, in the first movement especially; but the tempo was in part of a deliberateness that seemed alien to the character of the music; a tempo that weighed uncomfortably upon the effect. He made the andante interesting with certain effects of the wood winds and their delicacy in the finale was noteworthy.

The pieces of Debussy and Respighi—the latter has been recently heard this season—were played with an exquisite and flexible manipulation of their ingenious and complex instrumental effects, but it seemed as if the chief aim and object of these instrumental-coloristic, atmosphere, movement, the suggestion of exterior effects and visual images, for both Debussy and Respighi deal in these rather than in specifically musical development—somehow escaped and eluded players and conductor.

How and why they happened might not have been plain to all; was it the general lack of body and color in the orchestra itself; was it a lack of resonance in the audience room, and will a change of acoustical surroundings bring a change in the general spirit and effect of the performance?

The subtle dramatic power, the thrilling poignancy of Mr. Toscanini's interpretation of the "Tristan" prelude have been deeply graven on the memories of all who have heard him conduct the music drama. They were vividly suggested by his performance. If the glow and the fire were not all there the cause must be sought in what has already been suggested.

The National Symphony Orchestra.

Instead of a symphony, Mr. Bodanzky put on the program of the National Symphony Orchestra's concert yesterday what weighed quite as much as a symphony, took as much time and in parts sounded louder than most symphonies—Strauss's symphonic poem, "Ein Heldenleben." The orchestra also played the overture to Mozart's opera of "The Magic Flute." Fritz Kreisler was the soloist and played Mendelssohn's violin concerto.

He played it as a piece of music for which he entertained regard, nay, love, which he intended to make sound with all the beauty, all the quality, all the expressiveness that he could find in it; not perfunctorily, as one wearied with many repetitions, and still less disdainfully, as one who looked down upon it, being the product merely of a Mendelssohn. He did not need even Sir George Grove's "less than twenty words," which the program notes quoted, to explain "with exquisite neatness why Mendelssohn's music is—what it is." He played the concerto almost as if he had not read the program note, without a sneer. Perhaps he thought of the difficulty he and his fellows have so long experienced in finding better concertos to take its place in the repertory, of how many hopeful aspirants for that place have withered and died and been cast out. At all events, it was a performance of beautiful warmth and sincerity that made of the music all there is in it. The accompaniment, however, was not quite so conscientious; it was not very finished and in the first movement lagged incessantly a little behind Mr. Kreisler's rapid tempo.

It is some time since Strauss's tone poem has been heard here, and perhaps it never had a performance so perfectly clear and well articulated, so sonorous, so variously colored, showing so plainly its innumerable strands. It seemed bewildering twenty years ago when it was played here for the first time; probably it was in the performance that Emil Paur conducted with the Philharmonic Society at that time. Performances have improved since then—of such things, at least; and insight into Strauss, his methods and his products has also been improved by familiarity. With the help of Mr. Gilman's admirable program notes nobody need have remained in ignorance of what Strauss intended to portray in this piece. It was a wonderfully effective as well as a wonderfully clear performance. The musical quality of the work as well as its anecdotic power was swept into the listener's consciousness.

But was there also swept into the consciousness of any an uneasy feeling that this music, though now only just of age, is already betraying traces of age? Mr. Gilman in his notes justly calls Mr. Huneker's "Ariadne" for his early work. Song to Strauss. Were any anxious enough yesterday to ask themselves, "does this now sound old-fashioned"? Was there any lurking suspicion that it is more a marvelously skilful, dextrous, ingenious, unfaltering rearrangement of ideas and material already at hand than a new creation?

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JAPAN AND THE SIX VOTES.

That our negotiations with Japan are rapidly approaching an agreement is welcome news. The proposed treaty is said to cover satisfactorily both the immigration question and the matter of alien land-ownership in California. There has been the widest consultation of all parties in interest. Even the Californians are now content with the projected plan, if we may believe Representative KAHN. And the leading Senators are reported to be acquiescent. Thus the promise is excellent that causes of friction between the United States and Japan will be removed.

One thing deserves special note. The conferences and soundings have included Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Canada. The attitude of these self-governing Dominions toward Japanese immigration is notoriously very like that of the United States. This has been graciously remarked by Senator LODGE, who has even spoken hopefully of the alignment of those British Dominions with America. It goes so far that it is now said to affect the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance next year. London dispatches state that the Government is seriously considering the ending, or the thorough mending, of that alliance, largely under pressure from the Dominions.

In the light of these events, what are we now to think of the horrid plot to give England six votes in the Assembly of the League of Nations, by means of her giving getting representation for her Dominions? On the first test, four of those six votes are found to be virtually against England and for the United States. So it might easily and naturally prove in other matters. Yet Republican Senators yelled themselves hoarse over the infamy of the six votes. It may be hoped that the election cough-drops will have cleared their voices—and also their heads.

NO ECONOMY WITHOUT METHOD.

Significant is the report from Marion that Senator HARDING hopes for the passage by this Congress of the bill establishing a budget system. It will be remembered that President WILSON vetoed such a measure. But his objection was solely to one clause which he held to be in violation of the Constitution. The bill as a whole he highly approved. There is no real reason why this legislation should not be taken up and enacted almost by general consent before the Harding Administration comes in. Mr. GOOD, the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the House, indicates his belief that this may be done. It certainly ought to be.

One effect would be to change instantly the present attitude of the heads of Government departments. Here we have to note a curious thing. By long established practice the estimates sent to Congress are notoriously inflated. The great spending departments ask for more than they really need or expect to get. The reason is that a kind of bargaining takes place between the Government and Congress. Congress has formed the habit of cutting estimates more or less severely, and as the department chiefs are well aware of this they seem to proceed on the theory that they must demand enough to leave a wide margin for Congressional retrenchments. For example, Chairman GOOD proposes to cut no less than $1,250,000,000 from this year's total of estimated appropriations. If it is possible to thrust the knife as deeply as that into the estimates without really injuring the business of the Government, then it is plain that such large estimates should not have been submitted.

In this respect there is a contrast between our practice and the English. In England, of course, all the great money bills have long been within the control of the Government. The result is that the Ministry there keeps its estimates down to what it believes to be strictly necessary. Writing recently on this subject, Sir EDWARD CLARKE referred to the "popular belief" that the House of Commons prevents the people from being taxed too much. He declares that "this is "a great mistake. It is not the "House of Commons that keeps down "the estimates. It is the Ministry "that does so." Speaking from his own experience, Sir EDWARD asserts that almost all the speeches and motions in the House of Commons when expenditures are under consideration favor greater outlays, in one respect or another, than the Government had proposed. Members are continually pressing larger expenditures upon the Ministers of the Crown.

It is obvious that a budget would induce in our own Government a spirit of responsibility and the desire for economy that naturally goes with it. No Cabinet Minister really wishes to spend a great amount of money simply for the sake of spending it. It is not popular to be extravagant. No Administration would willingly demand from the people greater taxes than seem needful. But our system has been one of cross-purposes and of divided responsibility. The great aim of the budget plan, which all must be glad to hear that Senator HARDING favors, is to centralize responsibility and to set up a scientific method without which no large public economy will be possible.

REDUCING NAVAL ARMAMENTS.

Secretary DANIELS states that "if "there is no League of Nations and "no association of nations, then there "ought to be a conference of nations "solely on the question of armaments, "following the line of the provision "contained in the Naval Appropria-"tion bill of 1916." On Dec. 16 last, talking to the House Naval Committee, Mr. DANIELS said: "I would not "care to go into such a conference "unless I was able to say that we had "a navy as strong as the strongest." In his judgment the United States will not have a navy as strong as that of Great Britain until 1924, if the three-year program of 1916 shall have been completed by that time. It is the opinion of ARCHIBALD HURD, the English naval specialist, that in super-dreadnoughts and dreadnoughts the United States will have obtained "in "1924 a lead of 31 per cent. over the "British fleet"—that is to say, in strength of the first line of battle. But as Mr. HURD is a partisan of the British Admiralty in the sense that Mr. POULTEN, his rival oracle, is not, perhaps the margin in favor of the United States will be less than 31 per cent. in 1924.

The authorization to President WILSON in the Naval act of 1916 to call a conference to consider arbitration and disarmament attracted at the time little attention, because the energies of the combatants in Europe, locked in a desperate struggle, the issue of which was never more doubtful, could not be directed to peace conferences of any kind. Nor was it a time for the United States to give its attention to the matter of disarmament. What it did was to decide upon the three-year building program for the navy, a plan that eclipsed anything ever proposed by the British or German Admiralties in their intensest competition. No one could know how long the war in Europe would last, and it was probable that the United States would be drawn in.

References back to the proposal in the Naval act of 1916 may be made to establish past good intentions, but we are living in a different present. Everybody desires reduction of armaments to a minimum consistent with national safety, but of the three naval Powers that count only Great Britain has halted capital ship construction. She scrapped the three older ships of the gigantic Hood type after work was begun on them. According to HURD, the Board of Admiralty has "not only abandoned "these three capital ships and 609 "other vessels under construction, but "either scrapped, sold or placed on "the ineffective list a large number "of ships which had been rendered "obsolete or obsolescent." It is true that Great Britain could change her policy over night, but there is no sign of it. LLOYD GEORGE advocates a big cut in the estimates for the maintenance of the present navy. Moreover, if Great Britain were to change her policy tomorrow and enter upon a new program of construction, she would nevertheless trail behind the United States as a naval Power in 1924 if the three-year program is to be completed. On Nov. 1, 1920, the sixteen capital ships of that program were from 1.2 to 61.5 per cent. built. Six of these were being constructed in Government yards. Exactly the point at which the United States and British Navies will be equal in strength is hard to determine. The specialists would disagree. But the parity would occur before 1924.

Like the United States, Japan is planning expansion. She desires twenty-four capital ships, all superdreadnoughts. Her steel must come from the United States or Europe, and financially she is in a bad way. Still, Japanese statesmen talk armament reduction, gazing across the Pacific at the United States. A comparison of the battle fleets in 1923 gives the United States twenty-three capital ships, eighty-four 14-inch guns and 152 16-inch guns; Japan fourteen capital ships, seventy-four 14-inch guns and forty-eight 16-inch guns. The conclusion must be that Great Britain would not turn a deaf ear to proposals for armament reduction to an irreducible minimum, and that Japan might easily be won over if the United States would take the lead or make the first advances.

A REMINDER.

The World publishes a letter, "which has been widely distributed "to German-Americans," calling them to a meeting of the German-American National Conference in Chicago next month. Since "the election has "been favorably influenced by our "organization," it is its duty "to be-"come active and to insist that the "promises which were given to us "by the party now in power should "be fulfilled." The convention is to choose a committee for the purpose of influencing Mr. HARDING to put some German-American in his Cabinet.

It is highly improbable that any promises were made to the representatives of this body. Nothing could have kept them from supporting the Republican ticket. They hated Mr. WILSON. They hated Great Britain and the League of Nations so much that for once they forgot the interests of Germany, which require that she should be in the League. It must be very inconvenient to Mr. HARDING to be pursued by these or other groups of ardent citizens who clung to him to gratify their own animosities or purposes.

He can't possibly satisfy their demands. He may hold with perfect truth that he didn't need them, that they merely swelled superfluously the sum of his votes and his annoyances. When such a multitude of persons look wistfully to him for office, must he be bothered by the solicitations of those who didn't love him for himself? There are obvious evils in a "tremendous majority." Mr. HARDING can't be expected to "do something" for all the various collections of voters that crowded around him. Will he not have to distinguish between the necessary and the superfluous?

FOXES, BEARS AND BUREAUCRATS

Representative REAVIS of the First Nebraska District pilots us with good sense and good humor through the winding ways of official circumlocution at Washington. Thus, should you happen to shoot a fox in Alaska, you would have to settle with the Department of Agriculture, whereas, if you caught Reynard in a trap, you would have to settle with some bureau in the Department of Commerce. Great is system and it prevails. What could illustrate its charm and its power more effectively than Mr. REAVIS's little anecdote of the brown Kadiak bear? If a brown Kadiak bear "has twin cubs, one brown and "one black, and some one should "shoot the brown cub, he would "make his settlement with one de-"partment. If he shoot the black "cub, he must settle with another "department." Systematization must have her perfect work.

From one learn all. That is a universal apologue of bureaucracy. It is neither Democratic nor Republican; it is the official way of doing business.

RAILWAY QUESTIONS.

Any idea that the Esch-Cummins law ended railway troubles must be abandoned. Fresh questions are daily arising. In an official review of 1920 the Chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, T. DE WITT CUYLER, reports that the carriers moved the largest volume of traffic ever known, with the highest efficiency ever shown and with a minimum of new capital expenditure. More miles were got out of each car and more freight was put into each car than ever before.

Yet the private owners received back their plant deteriorated from Government operation under stress of war conditions. The year opened with a shortage of cars so serious that it "froze" hundreds of millions of credit advanced on goods sold but not delivered. The year ends with a surplus of cars, due to improvement in operating conditions, equivalent to the addition of $2,000,000,000 worth of equipment. And yet the companies failed to earn the moderate profit allowed by the Esch-Cummins act. November was better than October, but, on the face of the incomplete returns, the gross earnings promise no more than $5,500,000,000, earned at a cost of $4,950,000,000. That leaves about $850,000,000, against a standard return of $930,000,000, which was itself less than the moderate profit promised by the Esch-Cummins act.

Even the shippers and the rate regulators now see that if the railways are to prosper they must be put in a position to compete for capital in the investment market. The railway executives disclaim any intention of asking for an increase of rates. They propose economies and even greater efficiency of operation. That is praiseworthy, but there is an alternative. Years ago the railways were told by their critics to look for profits to the increase of business. It may be a counsel of perfection to suggest that the railways are not yet doing all the business they might, and that they could increase it both by decreasing their rates to attract it and by increasing their service. It is notorious that during the car shortage great volumes of traffic were diverted. That business might be won back by doing it better and more cheaply. There is no greater deficiency in railway service than at their terminals. Engineers have calculated that it costs $20 more a ton to move freight through the Port of New York than elsewhere and that $16,000,000 is spent each year to haul goods uptown which the railways deliver downtown. If the railways relieved shippers of the cost of taking their goods to and from the freight stations, they would win back to themselves the business which the motor trucks are taking away. Railways may be reminded that there is such a thing as wise expenditures and that even when they are outdoing themselves in the service of the public there is still more which they might do.

PLOTTING AGAINST LABOR.

Unemployment is widespread and rapidly increasing. A month ago the American Federation of Labor placed the number of men out of work at 2,000,000. Where employment continues it is often on part time or at reduced wages. Everywhere warehouser and shopkeepers' shelves are loaded with goods unsold and unsalable. Yet the far-famed buyers' strike continues. And labor strikes and the rumors of labor strikes abound.

What is the motive behind all this agitation? The clothing workers, whose proclaimed object is to build up a socialistic guild, have largely tied up their industry and are living on the fat of their treasuries. Last Sunday the textile workers of Lawrence defeated an attempt to change their organization into "one big union" by the narrow majority of 1,181 to 1,106. The intention to prepare for a strike was obvious and was admitted by the leader of the radicals. In the steel industry a committee has been organized to renew the fight that failed so disastrously during boom times. The old leaders, FITZPATRICK and FOSTER, have been eliminated as too notoriously radical; but the remainder of their strike fund, some $70,000, has been taken over, together with the results of their effort to build up one big industrial union. And now the Harbor Boatmen's Union, acting in concert with the Masters, Mates and Pilots' Association, threatens to ring in the new year with a strike.

To the common-sense view there is only one explanation of all this. It is a diabolical conspiracy of capital. Overloaded with unsold goods and confronted by a sudden cessation of buying power, employers have fomented strikes in order to put a stop to production and thus maintain prices until they have worked off their old stocks. The only alternative is suggested by the chance exclamation of a labor leader last Winter: "Thank God the "strikes are coming fast and unsuc-"cessful. It is out of men who have "fought hard and been beaten that "radicals are made!"

MARTENS LEAVES US.

The new spirit seems to be dying out in Russia. It is quite in the face-saving manner of the old unregenerate capitalist diplomacy that TCHITCHERIN, the Bolshevist Foreign Minister, recalls his representative in this country, after our Government had decided to deport him. This message from Moscow was evidently composed with care. It takes account of our stupid bourgeois prejudices. It refers to "the people," both of Russia and of America. A great many Bolshevist authorities contend that to the orthodox Communist there is no such thing as the people, but only the proletariat and the capitalist class. However, Americans are used to hearing about the people, so TCHITCHERIN talks our language.

His communication craftily appeals to both the idealism and the self-interest of America. He reminds us of the "warmly appreciated proofs of sym-"pathy" among American workers for the workers and peasants of Russia. He talks of "common interests" and of "mutually advantageous co-operation in the economic field." Other nations are entering into economic relations with Russia, and the inference is plain that America will lose some profitable business by expelling MARTENS. Just to give us a taste of what we have brought on ourselves, MARTENS is instructed to cancel contracts which he had already made here calling for the sale of some $50,000,000 worth of American goods in Russia. This sounds ominous, but it appears that only about 1 per cent. of these orders had been shipped to Russia. There is trouble about the payment. The Bolsheviki have been unable to ship gold to America because there is a dispute as to the ownership of the gold. The other nations which are "entering into economic relations" have discovered that there is a question about the ownership of almost everything else that is shipped out of Russia. A civilization which recognizes property rights has not yet discovered how to deal with a civilization which does not.

However, the philosophic MARTENS is sure that we shall come to a more enlightened view of our own interests. "Russia has been able to get along "without the rest of the world for "three years," he tells us, "but the "time has come when the world "cannot longer get along without "Russia." The capitalist nations will need this great market for their export trade, and economic necessity will compel them to come to terms. No doubt the laws of capitalist economics are inexorable, but we do not know that any of them compel capitalists to sell their goods where they can get no payment. Unless the Bolsheviki agree to settle on some basis with their present creditors, or unless America agrees to ignore the claims of those creditors and rule their claims out of American courts, there will not be much business with Russia.

MAX RABINOFF, eminent alike in commerce, politics and the arts, has been telling Mr. HARDING of the great possibilities of trade with the co-operatives. The Supreme Council entertained this dream for a few minutes last Winter and then discovered that the co-operatives were in the hands of the Bolshevist Government. The British negotiators who for months have been trying to find some ground on which Bolshevist business theory can be reconciled with British law have been unable to deal with anybody but the Bolshevist Government. That Government will have to change its ways before there can be any trade with Russia which is not mere gambling or giving things away.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

His Claim Rested on a Possibility.

Remembering how seriously KELLY and his motor were taken for some time by people who saw that motor running with speed and vigor, with only the vibrations of a tuning fork as its seeming source or originator of energy, we should not be too much amused by the attention attracted and the excitement produced in Germany by the announcement of a Leipsig engineer that he had "broken down the atom," and thence secured at no expense an inexhaustible supply of power.

Even after KELLY had been exposed as the hot very clever swindler he was, there were people who were sure that he was a man persecuted and maligned by jealous competitors and savants incapable of taking in a new idea. So WILLI VON UNRUH probably will be able to retain the faith of at least a few believers, in spite of the fact that he languishes in jail charged with getting money on false pretenses.

It is to be remembered that what VON UNRUH claims to have done is only something the possibility of which has been proclaimed for years by practically all the Wise Ones of science, and that on its face there is nothing intrinsically incredible in his pretension. The source of energy which he said he had tapped does exist, according to the hypotheses in relation to atoms that now have general acceptance by physicists, and there is not one of them who would be much surprised if a reputable member of their own class should make, any day, an announcement more or less like the one that came from the Leipsig engineer. They would make their colleague prove it, no matter what his fame and his record, but they would approach his demonstration with no such antagonism as they would feel if he had promised to square the circle or to show them "perpetual motion" as they understand that often misunderstood phrase.

Apprehensions Would Be Justified.

Something of what it would, or might, mean if atomic energies were made available for the doing of work was revealed in "The World Set Free," by the ingenious Mr. H. G. WELLS, wherein, as in not a few other books by that author, what seem like wild imaginings have a basis of fairly solid science. He revealed some of the dangers as well as some of the blessings that would follow the setting free of powers now in such a state of balance that their very existence was not suspected until recently. The "vibrations" of our own unlamented KELLY were crude things in quite another category.

Probably it would be just as well for humanity if the atoms were left unbroken for some time, or some ages, to come. Men already have at command energies that are sufficiently dangerous when used for evil purposes—a lesson taught to the world very effectively by Herr VON UNRUH's own countrymen no longer ago than 1914. There are not so many nations, for instance, that could be trusted to make only commendable uses of the "atomic bombs" described by Mr. WELLS, and it is at least thinkable that just such bombs could and would be made if atomic energies were rendered available.

Effective Help Is Given.

There hardly could be better evidence of the wisdom with which the funds contributed for the Hundred Neediest Cases have been used by the organizations by which the money is distributed than the fact that the help given so often leads to independence and self-support for those receiving it. Never once in the years during which THE TIMES thus has appealed to the public has the same little family group appeared twice in the lists, and again and again have those to whom assistance was given figured in after years in the role of contributors for the relief of needs that were no longer their own.

From the beginning, as now, there have been many children in the groups in whose behalf the appeals were made. With attention thus attracted to them, it frequently has happened that one of these little ones has been taken into a good home permanently, as an adopted son or daughter. In doing this people naturally are careful and usually the children are taken at first "on trial," as it were. Sometimes a boy or girl proves acceptable at once, sometimes they remain longer on probation, and sometimes, alas! they are returned, for one or another reason not having won approval.

A queer reason for rejection mentioned yesterday was that a certain little boy was "too ingratiating." That might mean any one of many things, but perhaps the phrase told as much about the experimenters in adoption as it did about the boy.

Two Husbands Held Not Too Many.

A feminine reader of THE TIMES, evidently irritated by the recently reported proposal of a Colorado man that farmers should be allowed to have two wives as the only solution of the greatest of farm problems—that of getting needed "help"—made in a letter printed on this page yesterday the balancing proposal that women living in cities should be allowed to have two husbands.

Only so, she said, could the city woman in these days of high costs, be fairly sure of support in the comfort she has a right to demand.

The one proposal is as good as the other, perhaps, but there is at least one difference between them; though the Colorado farmer evidently wanted his two wives as workers, he gave no intimation of expecting to live in idleness himself, while the aspirant for two husbands evidently assumed that the city woman was under no obligation to toil.

But, of course, she was only joking. Probably city wives are real helpmates as often as country wives; at least it is to be hoped so, and the world is in a bad way if they are not.

STATE MILITARY TRAINING.

Another Cadet Officer Who Believes in the Present System.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I noted in today's issue of THE TIMES an article by Lieutenant Brownley of the State Corps of Cadets replying to a letter by Lieutenant Cooke which was published some time ago and dealt with the subject of compulsory military training.

I, like Lieutenant Brownley, am a cadet officer. This is my third year with the Military Training Commission and is the second occasion upon which I have felt it necessary to say a word in defense of the military training law. The former occasion was nearly a year ago, when the law was attacked by Dr. Felix Adler of the State Reconstruction Commission.

It is not my purpose to add anything to what Lieutenant Brownley has said, for he has stated the case simply and forcefully, but I do wish him to know that another cadet officer agrees with him and will support him no matter what is said in contradiction of his statements. As far as Lieutenant Cooke's statement is concerned I need only remark what every military man knows, that the easiest thing to do in the military game is to criticise. There never has been and never will be a military organization that is above all criticism and the Corps of Cadets does not pretend to be any exception. In this connection I am bound to feel that Lieutenant Cooke's criticism is unwarrantably severe, is ill-considered and does not state the facts. There may be a few cases where the equipment and instruction are not all that could be desired, but this is not generally so, and where it is true is not the fault of the Military Training Commission that it is so, but rather the responsibility of the State Legislature, influenced by such people as Lieutenant Cooke, which fails to supply the commission with adequate funds to carry out perfectly the task which is assigned it.

Be it remembered that the cadet officers are paid no salary, that they are from the rank and file of the Cadet Corps and therefore speak unbiased by any ulterior consideration. They have observed and know to be true that the value of the military training given the young men of the State cannot be measured in dollars and cents, for it builds into the cadets those high ideals of citizenship which are priceless.

ELLIOTT P. BARRETT,
Captain Infantry Corps of Cadets, State of New York.
New York, Dec. 27, 1920.

Shrinking Excess Profits Tax.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your editorial article entitled "Old Taxes and New," appearing in today's TIMES, you refer to the statement of the Secretary of the Treasury indicating that the estimated excess profits for the fiscal year 1923 are only about $800,000,000, against an estimated yield for the fiscal year 1920 of slightly over $2,000,000,000.

In this connection I should like to call your attention to the fact that the Secretary of the Treasury, on Page 39 of his report for 1920, refers to these estimates as being included with collections of back taxes. This matter was taken up by the Committee on Ways and Means, and in the report of Hearings for Monday, Dec. 13, 1920, Part 1, on Page 9, I find the following:

"Mr. Bacharach: How do you estimate the receipts of excess profits for the next year as compared with the present year?

"Dr. Adams: The estimate of the excess profits tax for the present fiscal year is $1,200,000,000. That is for the present fiscal year, and it includes $350,000,000 for back taxes that we expect to collect. That leaves for the excess profits taxes only $900,000,000. And we have gotten as much as $2,000,000,000 to $3,000,000,000 from the excess profits tax in the past. The Treasury has allowed for a very great shrinkage. The similar estimate of yield of the excess profits tax for the fiscal year 1923 is $800,000,000, which represents $450,000,000 current yield, and again $350,000,000 back taxes."

This clearly indicates that the excess profits tax yield which Dr. Adams says has been in the past from two to two and a half billions of dollars, will actually drop for 1923 to $450,000,000, and not $800,000,000, because $350,000,000 of this $800,000,000 will be from back taxes, which the Treasury expects to collect.

MEYER D. ROTHSCHILD,
Chairman Business Men's National Tax Committee.
New York, Dec. 21, 1920.

Concrete Benches on Fifth Avenue.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Can you tell me who is responsible for the latest disfigurement of Fifth Avenue? I refer to the concrete benches which have been erected in such profusion along the Park side above Fifty-ninth Street. Is it possible that they represent Mr. Gallatin's idea of beauty, and is there no municipal art committee to pass upon such things?

When, under the present regime, New York is facing bankruptcy, and there are so many things which need to be done and are conspicuously left undone, it seems strange to squander public funds in a way which is not only unnecessary but must be even offensive to many who have the beauty of our main thoroughfare at heart. The old benches, when painted and kept in repair, were entirely adequate, and while not ornamental they were inoffensive, and at their worst were better than these present monstrosities. The beautiful and dignified perspective of the long walk beneath the elms is nearly, if not quite, spoiled. I venture to say that in no European city, and in few American ones, could such defacements of streets and parks take place as we New Yorkers witness with disheartening frequency and too often witness without even a protest.

ANTOINETTE DWIGHT.
New York, Dec. 24, 1920.

MOTES IN THE SUN.

A bar of golden sunlight thrust
Its length across the room;
It lit a million motes of dust
And clove the gloom.

Within the light those million motes
Kept swirling here and there;
Like elfin sprites in yellow coats
They bobbed in air.

Ten billion motes were doomed to be
Beyond the golden way,
Mere waifs upon a darkened sea
That knew no day.

Like troubled thoughts that haunt the night
Or ghosts of things unclean,
Ten billion motes vanished out of sight,
Unlit, unseen.

How happy should we feel, thought I,
When we—mere motes of dream—
Look up and get from Him on high
A transient gleam.

ELIAS LIEBERMAN.

SPANISH IMMIGRANTS.

Good Workmen Among Them, Employers Testify.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Almost every New York newspaper published a few days ago an abstract of Congressman Knutson's speech in which he mentioned that he had sent over 5,000 Spaniards on Ellis Island people that never came here before the war. He stated that Spain was seething with anarchy, and intimated that the Spanish Government was financing the emigration of anarchists to this country.

On the 12th of October, during the banquet with which the Spanish Society celebrates the discovery of America by the small Spanish fleet, we received the following telegram from Frederick A. Wallis, Commissioner of Immigration:

"Important official duties detained me Ellis Island tonight. Wish all immigration was as acceptable as the high class Spaniards coming to our shores.

"FREDERICK A. WALLIS,
"Commissioner of Immigration."

The following are abstracts of some of the letters which the Spanish Society, Union Benéfica Española, has received:

"Nov. 22, 1920.

"* * * It will be worth while to you to be in touch with the concerns (a list of the principal ones is enumerated), because they employ a large number of laborers and will eventually, if not now, use many Spanish laborers, who are well considered and greatly desired.

"ROBERT G. PETERS,
"Labor and Industry Bureau of Employment, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania."

"Dec. 3, 1920.

"* * * We regret add, however, that the Spanish laborers who have entered our service during the last few months have proved to be very satisfactory employes, and we hope to be able to retain them in our service permanently.

"J. K. LINN,
"Employment Agent Pennsylvania System, Eastern Region, Philadelphia, Pa."

"Dec. 9, 1920.

"* * * The State of Pennsylvania has in operation a Department of Construction on a grand scale and your valuable assistance will be greatly appreciated, as we desire to hire Spanish laborers as we know them to be of the best labor obtainable in this or any other country.

"ALFRED H. SAUERBRUN,
"Superintendent of Construction, Construction Bureau, Pennsylvania State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa."

These are a few of many letters that the Spanish Society has received, and we might add that we have visited many prisons and penitentiaries and have rarely found a Spaniard in any of these institutions.

We can assure you that we know the masses of Spanish laboring men well, follow what they are doing, keep in touch with their employers, and have never heard anything but unstinted praise and commendation.

LA PRENSA PUBLISHING CO.,
Per J. M. Camprubi, President.
New York, Dec. 21, 1920.

An Immigrant's Criticism.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

May I be permitted through your columns to place on record the courteous treatment which I received at the hands of United States immigration officials when I arrived in this country a steerage passenger on the Mauretania last June?

Although congestion on the island at that time necessitated every alien third-class passenger being entertained at the steamship company's expense for considerably longer than twenty-four hours, I was actually detained on the island only forty-five minutes.

The lack of system seemed mainly to lie between the time of our being herded onto a steam launch at the pier and being permitted to land on the island. The launch, which was horribly overcrowded, left the pier at 9 A. M., and steamed across the Hudson to Ellis Island, against whose landing stage it was moored all morning and part of the afternoon, no one being allowed to land until 1:30 P. M. At noon sandwiches, coffee and milk (the latter essentially for women and children) were distributed indiscriminately, the result being that most women and children failed to get their share.

Repugnant as it was to me to be virtually a prisoner, I realize the extreme necessity of such a sorting depot at the portals of a great country like America, and when criticising the methods used at Ellis Island no one should fall into the error of confusing harsh treatment with slackness. I certainly, however, would like to take this opportunity of suggesting a more systematic handling of immigrants during transit between the steamship pier and the island, the more careful separation of unaccompanied women from men, and the erection of waiting rooms on the island.

1920 IMMIGRANT.
New York, N. Y., Dec. 22, 1920.

Room for Good Immigrants.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The question of what to do with the foreign element that is coming to this country seems to be growing to be a serious one, and according to Commissioner Frederick A. Wallis will continue to become more perplexing as the years go on. The American democracy has extended the right hand of fellowship to foreigners until it is time now for us to draw the line between good foreigners and bad foreigners. The influx is becoming too great for us to sit idly by and see our land invaded with undesirable citizens.

The best place to send these new people is put into the new country in the West that is unoccupied. We have room enough for half a million of good citizens, as Uncle Sam has millions of acres of good farming land in the western part of the State of South Dakota that invite the hand of industry on which to build good farm homes. Our soldier boys have been and are taking advantage of these valuable lands, but there is still room for thousands of good farm homes that will be made on these lands in the next few years.

The great shortage of farm help by our present farmers is also another good reason why some of this foreign element should be directed to the West. A shortage is predicted for next year because there is insufficient help to put in the crops in the Dakotas, both North and South.

W. H. GREEN.
Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 6, 1920.

Tax on Cheese and Coffee.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

When Congress is looking around for new taxes it is strange that it overlooks two taxes on both cheese and on coffee. A stamp tax of 2 cents on every check and an import duty of 5 cents a pound on coffee would produce a large revenue at almost no cost for collection. The stamp tax is automatic and costs nothing but for printing and distributing the stamps. The tax should be imposed on every check, big or little.

As for coffee, it would cost very little to collect a duty. All coffee necessarily is imported; smuggling is impossible and if the duty is specific it would be no trouble to collect it. Neither of these taxes would be felt as oppressive and they could be used to replace some of those silly taxes like those on soda water and chewing gum, which are largely evaded and are collected at an immense cost as compared to the receipts.

ALBERT H. ATTERBURY.
New York, Dec. 16, 1920.

CONCESSIONS IN MEXICO.

Two Kinds Which Ought Not to Be Confused.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I wish to express my appreciation of the fair and thoughtful editorial article in THE TIMES this morning, entitled "The Square Deal in Mexico." I was formerly news editor of The Mexican Herald, published in the City of Mexico, and because of acquaintance with the country take the liberty to call to your attention a source of much misunderstanding on the subject of foreign properties there, American and others. This misunderstanding grows out of the troublesome little word "concession."

Before I had ever lived outside of the United States I took it for granted that a concession was "something for nothing," a grant of land, or a monopoly of some article of merchandise, at any rate a favor granted by the Government, perhaps with conditions attached but probably not very onerous conditions. To some extent, and in some countries, that is the meaning of concession. Before the era of Diaz in Mexico it frequently had that meaning. But under his régime concession had two meanings: The older one and a new one which requires explanation here. The new meaning came with stable, organized government and proper regulation of business. When a charter was granted, or a permit to do business obtained it was also called a concession. It was the latter type of concession that the Americans obtained in Mexico in those days. The grants which were an expression of governmental favor invariably went to Mexicans. You will readily understand that an American corporation wouldn't want one. It implied a future dependence upon governmental favor that would certainly not make the stock or bonds very desirable investments. Moreover, the American business men knew nothing of such methods and usually bought what they wanted in fee simple. But in order to begin operations under the laws of the land, they obtained concessions—that is to say, charters.

Please understand that I am not correcting a misstatement in your article for there was none. This is simply a gratuitous explanation that will assist in the understanding of news from Mexico. Sometimes when I read that a concession has been cancelled, or the terms of it materially changed, I happen to know that it was virtually a gift in the first place, and I decline to spill any tears over what happens to it. But there are other concessions that simply relate to a person's or corporation's permission to operate its own property.

Consider, for instance, the principal American-owned petroleum properties. They were purchased in fee simple from private owners. In 1917 President Carranza decided that the oil belonged to the nation and that these owners would have to obtain concessions or permits to produce it, paying a royalty for the permission, and admitting that they had no title. That was confiscation in express terms. They refused to comply with his decrees, and their refusal was supported in formal notes by the Governments of Great Britain, France, Holland and the United States, all of which nations' citizens were similarly affected. Under the strict terms of those decrees the companies which did not comply had presumably forfeited their titles, and the property reverted to the nation. It was upon this assumption that Provisional President de la Huerta gave out some of those lands. In other words, he granted concessions. He took the concessions away from the American owners and gave them to other persons. But you will see what a tremendous difference there is between the two concessions. One was a concession to operate property owned in fee simple and another was a concession to operate lands confiscated and presented to the concessionaire with conditions attached. In view of this double meaning of the word "concession," it seems to me it ought not to be used in the American press, but that the thing or right or privilege ought to be described, and then if a single word is used it ought to be an English word that is not ambiguous.

CHESTER T. CROWELL.
New York, Dec. 15, 1920.

Christmas Stockings for 4,500.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

A few weeks ago you kindly published for me a letter asking your readers to help the A. I. C. P. nurses and visitors in their Christmas red stocking work. You will be glad to know that the response made to that appeal by your readers was most generous. The nurses and visitors were enabled to realize their ideal of seeing that every child in their families was remembered with one of these stockings on Christmas morning. Approximately 4,500 were received and put into the hands of these tenement house children. It made a happy Christmas for them, and I am sure it added joy to the many of those who helped in the filling of the stockings.

We have tried to acknowledge by letter all that came to us. Perhaps in the rush of the Christmas week a few were overlooked. If we could thank them through your columns we should be glad—thanks from our nurses and visitors, and no less from all the mothers and children for whom this was done.

BAILEY B. BURRITT,
General Director.
New York, Dec. 27, 1920.

Charity and Sunday Observance.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As usual, at this time of the year, the great mass of enlightened Americans are thinking of gift-giving and charity, and this year the problem assumes gigantic proportions, as generosity must be stretched to cover the needs of the poor people of Europe as well as of America. Some of us are taxed to the extent of our salaries by necessary expenses and must work overtime to have a dollar to spend on food for the starving. And this overtime means evenings and Sundays.

Have the members of that organization called the Sabbath Alliance anything to say against that program? Would they prefer to have us go to church, rest and read good books on Sunday—or, in other words, amuse, recuperate and entertain ourselves and let the children of Europe starve?

Why down deep we believe that they would. There is a callousness to the comfort of others in their doctrine that suggests ossified hearts. It also hints of smug satisfaction with their own worldly conditions. What a pity the next amendment to the Constitution could not condemn such people as traitors to progress and provide for internment camps for them until they become penitent.

LURANA SHELDON PERRIS.
Old Orchard, Me., Dec. 14, 1920.

Ludendorff on the 77th.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I note "General Alexander's reply" to General Ludendorff's reference to the Seventy-seventh Division.

Permit me to assure General Alexander that the American people are perfectly satisfied with the conduct of our Seventy-seventh Division and also with his leadership of it.

If General Ludendorff honestly expressed his opinion of the Seventy-seventh Division it would be interesting to hear his criticism of the German veterans who failed to stop it.

W. H. STEVENS.
New York, Dec. 19, 1920.

200 NEEDIEST CASES LACK $21,648 IN AID

Backward Step in Relieving the Unfortunate Will Be Taken Unless All Help.

STILL OTHERS SUFFERING

Benefit of Timely Contributions Often Lasts Lifetime—Late Gift May Succor Family.

TIMES MEN GIVE $1,000

Employes Duplicate Previous Aid—Every Dollar Sent Goes Direct to the Stricken.

The Neediest Cases yesterday received $4,326.10, making a total of $88,197.47 since the appeal was first printed on Dec. 12. This total is $21,648.74 short of the amount needed to provide for 200 cases, the minimum number which have been provided for by contributions in the last four years.

A further call must be made on the friends of this cause, who have given to it so liberally in past years, unless a backward step is to be taken this year. The contributions of those who intended to help the Neediest Cases but let it slip their minds will be just as effective, even if they arrive later than was intended.

Each of the additional hundred cases will be provided for partially or fully, according to the total finally reached. The first hundred cases, now fully provided for, and the second hundred cases, on whose behalf the appeal is now being made, does not complete the roll of those who will be aided. The provision which is being made by TIMES readers for the 200 families now in the greatest want lifts a heavy burden from the four charitable organizations and enables them to do more for thousands of others than would have been possible otherwise. Poverty and distress are lightened a little all along the line.

For many families a little aid now means more than thousands of dollars would later. These are people with willpower and potential ability which will make them self-supporting if they are helped past a crisis now. But, if not helped a little now, many of them may go under and be broken up forever.

Timely Aid Not Costly.

The cost to the community is often very light, if the aid is timely, and very heavy if the aid is belated. The light from a lighthouse is provided to enable threatened ships to steer safely to port. The cost of maintaining the light is very small, compared with the cost of salvaging ships which have run on the rocks in the dark. And with many families prompt help through severe trials will save them from breaking. After breaking, death, sickness, loss of courage and ambition, the difficulty in getting a new start and other handicaps may combine to make the salvage of the family impossible, or possible only at a heavy cost, and after long delay.

The contributions yesterday ran from 10 cents to $1,000, the latter being the gift of the employes of THE NEW YORK TIMES who, because of the slow progress toward this year's goal of $100,848.20, duplicated their previous gift.

Gifts for the Neediest Cases incidentally provide holiday cheer and comfort, but their benefits last at least a year and frequently last throughout the lives of the individuals helped. Assistance for one year usually creates for them a sufficient point of departure for a future of self-support. Whether the gift is made before or after Christmas means little to this all-the-year-round work of family reconstruction. The late gifts play the same part in building up the total, as the early ones did.

The following are from some of the letters accompanying contributions:

Anonymous—Am sending a check for $3 to help along some needy case. Only wish it might be $300, but am a poor widow myself with a little girl not quite 2 years old to support and am not in very good health.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Mark W. Potter, Washington, D. C.—Enclosed please find my check for $50 to be credited to your fund for the Neediest and to be applied in accordance with your discretion. I had intended to send you a check before this but was prevented by illness.

Virginia W. Little, Yonkers—Enclosed please find check for $10 which we would like to have applied on Case 47, unless that case has already been provided for. We selected this case as our own little boy had to wear braces for several years and was completely cured by them, and we have especial sympathy for those similarly afflicted.

High School Sends $10.

Marlborough High School, Marlborough, N. Y.—Enclosed is a check for $10 which our school wishes to subscribe to the fund which you are raising for the Hundred Neediest Cases. We wish that it might be more and hope that it may give some pleasant thoughts to the one who receives it.

Miss D. S. Wight, Montclair—Enclosed please find my check for $2 to be applied to Neediest Case 21, or, if that is already filled, to Case 38. I am so sorry that the amount is so very small but there have been so many appeals this year that I had meant to let New York City and others supply the Neediest Cases. The reports of slow subscriptions in today's paper were, however, an appeal too strong to be resisted.

M. Rawlins—This year I intended to shut my ears and eyes to all appeals and just have a selfishly happy Christmas by having all our remaining dear ones together, but I can't be so selfish.

G. A. L.—Although I felt I had already done my bit, I am grateful to THE TIMES for awakening the desire to do more—if only a little.

Mrs. W. R. Wheeler—Enclosed please find $5. It is a small amount, but represents the savings of two children who wish to bring joy to some lonely heart.

No agents are employed by THE NEW YORK TIMES or any of the charitable organizations to solicit contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases.

No aid is being received by any of the families in the Hundred Neediest Cases under the State pension law.

Contributions are deductible from income tax returns.

Every cent goes to buy food, clothing and other necessaries, no administrative or clerical expenses being paid from the contributions.

Checks may be drawn to the order of the Hundred Neediest Cases and sent to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

DAY'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO NEEDIEST CASES

Contributions for the Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $4,326.10, making the total $88,197.46. These were received as follows:

THE NEW YORK TIMES	$3,712.60
Charity Organization Society	188.00
Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	171.00
Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	157.50
State Charities Aid Association	97.00
Total	$4,326.10
Previously reported	$83,871.36
Total	$88,197.46

Contributions received direct by The New York Times:

Addoms, Mr. and Mrs. A. H.	$20	In mem. of B. W. C.	1
Aaronson, Rita	$1	In mem. of G. O. P.	5
A boy whose heart is larger than his purse	1	In mem. of Florence W. Levy	25
Addicks, F. F.	5	In mem. of Lou	1
A friend of the suffering ones	2	In mem. of R. D. L.	5
A friend	2	Jacobs, M. S.	5
A friend	6	Jacobson, Elias	10
A. L. S.	10	J. C. V. A.	1
Anderson, S. R.	30	Jensen, Ambrosia	10
Andrews, Anne S.	10	Joan, S.	5
An Irish friend	10	Kalter, Mrs. Max	5
Anonymous	3	Kemper, J. W.	10
Anonymous	100	King & Applebaum	50
Anonymous	5	K. L. S.	5
Anonymous	20	Kory, Irma	2
Anonymous	25	K. F. H.	1
Anonymous	10	K. V. R. N.	3
Anonymous	2	Landauer, J. D.	10
Anonymous	20	Landman, Mrs. M.	5
Anonymous	2	L.	5
Anonymous	5	Lane, Miss E. B.	1
Anonymous	5	Lawrence	5
Anonymous	5	Lazo, Mr. and Mrs.	5
Anonymous	1	L. A.	20
Anonymous	2	Lebrecht, J.	10
Anonymous	2.50	Leveen, E. F.	10
Anonymous	10	Lindermann, S. G.	5
Anonymous, T.	3	Little, C. W.	10
Anonymous	100	Livingston, A.	10
Anonymous	2	L. M. P.	5
Anonymous	1	Libby, Miss L.	1
Anthony, A. M.	10	Lockwood, Mrs. A.	5
A. S. P.	2	J.	5
A. W. L.	5	Logan, J.	1
Bach, Mrs. A. J.	50	Louis, Leopold Jr.	5
Barnes, Katherine B.	100	Lowey, Philip W.	5
Baum, W. G.	5	L. S. J.	5
B. B.	1	Lutz, J. H.	5
Bechert, W. C.	2	McGrath, Lillian	25
Becker, E. M.	2	McIver, A.	5
Birch, J. P.	5	McIver, Cora and Lewis	5
Blackman Talking Machine Co.	100	Mansfield, W. C.	5
Bond, Mary D.	5	Marot, Blanche E.	6
Booth, O. L.	25	Marlboro High S.	25
Brounoff, P.	5	M. C.	5
Brown, Mrs.	2	Miles, Master G.	10
Brownell, J. D.	10	Miles, Master S.	10
Burnes, A. D.	50	Miles, Mrs. G. F.	10
Butler, M. H.	25	Miller, B. L.	10
B. W.	5	Mintram, F. G.	10
C. C.	5	Montague, M. L.	2
C. F. H.	5	Mosher, R. J.	2
Chapman, F. C.	10	M. R. P.	10
Childs, G. F.	5	M. S. C.	1
Citizen	10	M. T. S.	1
Clarke, C. L.	25	Milligan, Nancy McC.	25
Clerkin, A. P.	20	Newton, B.	10
Coes, H. C.	5	Newman, Carlyn R.	5
Cooper, E.	5	N. Y. Times Club	1,000
Craig, E.	10	No name	2
Craighill, C. L.	15	Oppenheimer, E. J.	5
Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. H. S.	5	Otterbourg, Steindler & Houston	10
D. and B. M.	5	Parabtic	1
Darling, Florence	5	Pearse, M. S.	5
Davis, W. R.	25	P. G.	5
De Mall, F. M.	10	Platt, C.	20
Derby, Miss B.	25	Pickens, A. sale	25
D. H. P.	5	P. K.	5
Edna, W.	1	Place, Ira A.	10
Edwards, A. C.	40	Plant, A.	1
E. E. S. Jr.	10	Potter, M. W.	50
E. J. P.	5	Powell, T. J.	10
Elliott, Mrs. R.	5	Priddy, E.	60
Employes of A. Anderson Textile Mfg. Co.	25	Price, John	10
E. N.	5	Rawlins, M.	5
E. N. W.	45	Reed, Mary L.	50
E. S. N.	5	Remnitz, V. F.	5
E. S. S.	2	Rice, E.	10
Esterson, Alvard and Myron	5	Richmond, G. H.	10
Ettinger, L. & Son	10	Ritterman, I. J.	5
F. C. H.	1	R. M.	5
Ferry, M.	100	Rowe, Mrs. H. M.	5
Fenton, John L.	10	Rose, Mrs. M.	10
Finkelstine, The	10	Sanford, L. R.	10
Forrest, A. T. M.	5	Satterthwaite, J. S. Jr.	5
F. R. A.	1	Sayings of Arthur Jr., Herman and Margaret	10
Frank, F.	5	Scandinavia Belting Co.	100
Frank, Mrs. L.	10	Schaefer, Mrs.	5
Freedman, Mrs. A.	2	Schwartz, Maud	2
F. R. D.	4	Scotchman, S.	2
Francis, C. E.	10	Scott, J. J.	20
From a friend	5	Seymour, C. L. D.	10
Furness, Lillie Mc Gal	50	Simon, H. & Son	5
Gardner, Jessie	5	S. L. M.	1
Gardner, K.	10	Sanfield, J.	10
Garling, Mrs. F.	5	Scott, Lydia	1
Gentle, Jules	2	Starr, H.	5
G. G. G.	10	Steele, Mrs. H.	5
Gierin, W.	5	Stevenson, P. E.	5
Goldenstein, Ethel & Marjorie	10	Stevenson, A. G.	10
Golden, Mrs. S. L.	10	Stewart, Mabel	5
Gowen, H. E.	5	Strandberg, L. M.	5
Grant,	2	Tetz, Mrs. I. O.	5
Grauer, Harry	1	Tiffany, Mrs. J. R.	10
Gridley, A. H.	18	Tierney, D.	2
Gumpert, M. E.	5	T. O. R.	5
G. W.	10	Underwood, E. B.	5
H. A.	10	Van Dyke, Mr. R.	10
Hall, G. K.	10	Van Iderstine, E.	10
Hamp, J. C.	25	Vollmer, M. A.	10
Hart, Thomas H.	10	Warner, F. D.	25
Hart, Mrs. S.	5	W. B.	2
Helwig, H. F.	5	Weibe, W.	2
Here is mine	10	Wells, K. F.	10
Hess, W. M.	5	Wheeler, Mrs. W. R.	4
Higgins, Mrs. A. S.	5	Wicht, Mrs. D. J.	5
Hill, A.	5	Wilkin, A. D.	5
Hobart, R. F. D.	5	William and Ida Thompson and W.	5
Hodgson, E. W.	25	A Grace Weaver	10
Hopeful	1	Williams, Mrs. K.	3
Hubbard, Edith K.	25	A.	3
Hyman, Mrs. D. M.	25	Wirth, G. W.	5
Ingersoll, Harriet D.	2	Wooley, H. S.	5
"In memory"	2	Wormser, B.	10
In memory of our Helen	5	Wynkoop, Mrs. R. J.	10
In mem. of Nancy.	5	X. Y. Z.	2
In mem. of W. O.	25	Young, Frances M.	1
In mem. of Grace Y. Hirsch	10	Zacharer, F. C.	2
In mem. of beloved Harold	5	Total	$3,712.60

Contributions received through the Charity Organization Society:

Bliss, W. H.	$11	N. S.	$3
E. C. C.	10	Postlethwaite, J. H.	50
Empire Paper Tube and Box Co.	25	Varesi, Gilda	50
Greenleaf, Mrs. L.	2	Wolfe, Lee J.	10
Mesig, Mrs. A. H.	25	Total	$189

Contributions received through the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor:

Anonymous	$30	Plough, H. H.	$5
Cohan, Mrs. R.	5	Rodewald, Mrs. F.	5
Delehanty, F. M. W.	3	Robt., Edith M.	5
F. S. W.	5	Satterlee, Mrs. R. S.	10
Ingersoll, H. G.	35	Strauss, Nathan	5
Ingersoll, Mrs. M.	5	Thomson, Mrs. M. A.	5
Ingersoll, Miss M. P.	5	Total	$171
Lance, Master D.	5		
Perry, G. K.	2		

Contributions received through the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities:

Anonymous	$50	Strauss, Nathan	$2.50
Duryea, Alletta A.	5		
Freeman, Ella T.	100	Total	$157.50

Contributions received through the State Charities Aid Association:

In mem. of John Robert	$25	Holton, Mrs. Anna L.	$10
The Empire Paper Tube and Box Co.	25	Stowell, Mrs. C. L.	$10
Ingersoll, Miss M. P.	20	Rodewald, Mrs. F. L.	5
Moloney, Miss M.	3	Total	$97

BISHOP LLOYD TO ACT FOR NEW YORK DIOCESE

Gets Leave From White Plains to Fill Temporarily Post of the Late Bishop Burch.

Bishop Arthur S. Lloyd will be acting Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of New York for the next few weeks. He received a leave of absence from St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, White Plains, N. Y., of which he is the rector, granted by his vestry at the urgent request of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of New York, so that the program of Episcopal duties mapped out by the late Bishop Charles S. Burch might be carried out. It is the first time in sixty-six years the diocese has been without a Bishop.

Bishop Lloyd will begin his duties tomorrow, and will keep hours every day in the offices occupied by Bishop Burch and previously occupied by the late Bishop Greer. They are in Synod Hall, which is within the grounds of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

Bishop Lloyd will make his home in this city, from which he moved to White Plains only a few weeks ago. He assisted Bishop Burch from Feb. 1 until July 1 last.

RENE LA MONTAGNE'S WEDDING A SURPRISE

Polo Player and Social Leader Married Mrs. Grace A. Garrett of Ohio on Monday.

MISS WILSON, HONOR MAID

President's Eldest Daughter Attends Miss Marjorie Brown at Her Marriage to Benjamin King.

René M. La Montagne of 673 Fifth Avenue and Mrs. Grace Argo Garrett were married on Monday, the announcement of which appears among the marriage notices of these columns. Mr. La Montagne, who is widely known socially and in sports, is a son of the late René La Montagne and is one of the foremost polo players of this country. No formal announcement of his engagement had been made and his marriage will come as a surprise to society.

The marriage ceremony was performed quietly and Mr. La Montagne and his bride have not as yet left on their wedding trip. Mrs. La Montagne comes from Ohio and is the daughter of James K. Argo.

Mr. La Montagne's father, who died in the Autumn of 1910, was one of the founders of the Rockaway Hunt Club and of the Racquet and Tennis Club. For years he was Captain of the Rockaway Hunt Club polo team, and one of the leading sprits of the turf during the existence of the old Cedarhurst track. Mr. La Montagne Jr. is a brother of Montalgu La Montagne, who married Miss Hyidagarde Jurgenson, and now resides in Paris, and of Morgan 3d, and William A. La Montagne, who live with their brother at the Fifth Avenue residence. His mother before her marriage was Miss Laura L. Morgan of New York.

Mr. La Montagne is President of E. La Montagne's Sons, commission merchants, of this city. He is a member of the Racquet and Tennis, Rockaway Hunt, Knickerbocker, Turf and Field, New York Yacht, Links, Aero, Brook and Meadow Brook Clubs.

Hall-Bassett.

The marriage is announced of Miss Sannie Shelton Bassett, daughter of Frank H. Bassett, and the Rev. Warren Daniel Hall, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of the Sea and Land, this city, which took place last Thursday afternoon, at the Olivet Congregational Church in Bridgeport, Conn., the Rev. Dr. Herbert S. Brown officiating.

The bride is a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College, and has been the Chairman of the Endowment Fund Committee in Bridgeport. Mr. Hall is a graduate of Syracuse University.

Feistein—Davidson.

The marriage of Miss Anna Feistein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Feistein of 115 East Seventy-eighth Street, and Henry J. Davidson, son of Mrs. Marie Golde Davidson of this city, took place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. Elias Soloman officiating. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to a few intimate friends of the couple. Later Mr. and Mrs. Davidson left for a wedding trip in Canada, and upon their return will make their home at 46 West Eighty-third Street.

Mintz—Freedman.

Miss Sue Freedman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freedman of 345 West 111th Street, and John Mintz were married yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Gotham, the Rev. Bernard Drachman officiating. The couple will spend a month at Atlantic City and in Florida before returning to this city to reside.

King—Brown.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The marriage of Miss Marjorie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Brown, formerly of Atlanta, Ga., but now residing in Washington, to Benjamin King, late of New York, took place this evening at 1,712 I Street, the Brown residence.

The wedding ceremony, witnessed by more than a hundred relatives and friends, including Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and the daughters of the President, took place in the ballroom, with the Right Rev. Troy Beatty, Bishop Coadjutor of Tennessee, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Harry Breckenridge Wilmer, D. D., of St. Luke's Church, Atlanta.

Woman Drew $2,000; Is Missing.

Mrs. Fannie Schurwonn, 26 years old, of 200 East Twenty-fifth Street, who disappeared from her home Dec. 17 after she drew $2,000 from a bank, has been vainly sought by relatives and friends. Last night her husband, Ernest Schurwonn, asked the police to send out a general alarm. The husband fears his wife was followed from the bank and met with foul play.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Dorothy Post Clapp to Wed Van Henry Cartmell Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mortimer Ward of 830 Park Avenue have announced the engagement of Mrs. Ward's youngest daughter, Miss Dorothy Post Clapp, to Van Henry Cartmell Jr. of this city. Miss Clapp, who is a graduate of Miss Spence's School, was introduced two years ago and is a member of the Junior League. Her sister, who was Miss Eunice Clapp, is now Mrs. Bradish Johnson Carroll Jr.

Mr. Cartmell is the son of Mrs. Van H. Cartmell of 1 West Fifty-sixth Street. He was graduated from Williams College with the class of '17, and during the war served in the navy as a Lieutenant. He is a member of the Williams and St. Anthony Clubs and also of the Amateur Comedy Club.

Mrs. John Jaynes Robbins of Babylon, L. I., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Louise Robbins, to Carleton Wandel, son of Mrs. William S. Wandel of Brooklyn. Mr. Wandel is a graduate of the Stevens Institute, and served overseas as a Captain in the Ordnance Department during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Barnes of Purchase, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sarah E. Barnes, to Wesley Roy Haight, son of Mrs. Isaac Haight of Port Chester, N. Y. Miss Barnes is a granddaughter of the late Robert Barnes, for fifty years a leader of the Society of Friends in Westchester County. Mr. Haight was a dispatch rider during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Klein of 290 West End Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss May Theresa Klein, to Ernest Frederick Rice of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rubenstein of 220 West Seventy-second Street have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hilda Rubenstein, to Charles Goldberg of this city and Lawrence, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Dennler of Flushing, L. I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Katharine Dennler, to Henry Mandeville Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mandeville of Forest Hills, L. I.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Blanche M. Stroock, daughter of Moses J. Stroock, a lawyer of this city, of 89 Central Park West, and the late Mrs. Stroock, to Sol M. Schwarzschild of Richmond, Va. Miss Stroock graduated from Barnard College, class of '19, with the A. B. degree. She was active in Red Cross work during the war. Mr. Schwarzschild is a graduate of Richmond College and served in the aircraft service.

Mrs. Ella O'Gorman Stanton announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mona Agnes Stanton, to Thomas J. O'Brien, Jr., who served with the United States naval forces abroad during the war. Miss Stanton is sister of Edwin M. Stanton, and niece of Mrs. John Fitzgibbon and ex-Senator James A. O'Gorman. She is private secretary to County Clerk William F. Schneider.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Warren Bynner Nash of 410 Park Avenue will give a dinner tonight for his débutante daughter, Miss Constance Nash, to be followed by a theatre party, going later to the dance for Miss Mary Davis Landstreet.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt 2d will give a musicale at her house, 666 Fifth Avenue, on next Tuesday evening, followed by dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gibson will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at their home, in East Sixty-third Street, taking their guests afterward to the theatre.

The last of the series of five dances given by the Bachelors in the Della Robbia room at the Vanderbilt will be held on Jan. 7. Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mrs. Ernest Iselin, Mrs. Whitney Warren and Mrs. Frank Gray Griswold are among the members of the women's auxiliary of the dances.

Mrs. James Speyer, who has been ill at her residence, 1,058 Fifth Avenue, is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Melvin A. Bronson is at the Ambassador at Atlantic City on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Fitch of 21 East Eightieth Street are giving a dance at their home this evening for their daughter, Miss Dorothy Fitch, who is home from the Farmington School for the holidays. About a hundred young college boys and girls not yet out will attend.

Mrs. Winthop E. Dwight gave a luncheon yesterday at the Colony Club for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Hunt Talmage. Among the guests were Mrs. Robert Winthrop Kean, Mrs. Roland Harriman, Mrs. Oliver B. James, Mrs. Charles D. Dickey Jr., Mrs. Philip Rhinelander 2d, Mrs. Sloan Colt, Mrs. Whitewright Watson, Mrs. Shepard Krech and the Misses Violet Gordon King, Katherine de B. Parsons, Adrienne M. Iselin and Mary Symphorosa Bristed.

The wedding of Miss Ruth Gaynor, daughter of the late Mayor Gaynor and Mrs. Gaynor, and John T. Rennard will take place on Monday, Jan. 24, in St. Thomas's Church. A reception will follow at the Hotel Gotham.

Mrs. George J. Gould is giving a dance tonight for her younger daughter, Miss Gloria Gould; Mr. and Mrs. Fairfax S. Landstreet are to entertain with a dance at the Colony Club for their daughter, Miss Mary D. Landstreet, and Miss Jane Molnson of Paris, and the Metropolitan dance will be held at the Ritz-Carlton.

RAILROAD WARNS LOAFERS.

Tells Its Force It Cannot Ask Public to Pay Wages of Such.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 28.—"We cannot ask our shippers and our passengers to help us pay the wages of any man who is loafing on the job" is one of the sentences in a statement that will be received by every officer and employe of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway before the end of the week.

The statement is signed by William T. Noonan, President of the company, announcing that, in the interest of economy, the publication of the employes' magazine will be discontinued.

Dance Aids Bloomingdale Nursery.

A tea dance for the benefit of the Bloomingdale Day Nursery was held at the Plaza yesterday afternoon under the direction of the Junior League of the Nursery, of which Mrs. Horace Leslie Hotchkiss 3d is President. The affair was well attended and about $500 was realized.

Among the patronesses were Mrs. William T. Dewart, Mrs. David L. T. Van Buren, Mrs. Elliot Schuyler Phillips, Mrs. Richard Emmet Keogh, Mrs. W. G. Leffit, and the Misses Muriel Kane, Claire Schenck, Ann Chamberlain, Dorothy Fitch, Audrey Sherman, Jane Hurd, Helen Gould, Helen Dudgeon, Frances Chrystie, Barbara Wey and Helen Jenkins.

Court Denounces 15-Cent Shines.

Magistrate Thomas J. Nolan in Tombs Court yesterday registered his disapproval of a 15 cent charge for shoe shines. Harry Wolfe, 38, a salesman, of 75 Vesey Street, was arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct on complaint of Giovanni Bilosi's of 81 Thomas Street, proprietor of a shoe shining stand at 231 Greenwich Street, who alleged that Wolfe struck him in the face. Wolfe, in his defense, pleaded that Bilosi's charge of 15 cents had "disconcerted him." The Magistrate found Wolfe guilty, but suspended sentence, declaring that the circumstances were extenuating and adding: "It is an outrage to charge 15 cents for a shine."

Wm. Warner, "Father of Canarsie."

William Warner, known as "the father of Carnarsie," where he had lived for sixty-nine years, died yesterday at Aqueduct, L. I. He was in his eighty-sixth year. Mr. Warner came to this country from Buckinghamshire, England, when a boy and in his youth he drove a horsecar on the old Atlantic Avenue line in Brooklyn. Later he became Superintendent of the Brooklyn & Jamaica Railroad Company, and in 1865, with DeWitt C. Littlejohn, he formed the company that built the Brooklyn & Rockaway Beach Railroad. The company also operated two hotels at Canarsie and two steamboats, which ran between Canarsie and Rockaway Beach until 1900. On his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary the residents of Canarsie held a special celebration and presented him with a silver loving cup.

Mother and Son Die on Same Day.

Carl E. Virgien, 42 years old, died on Sunday at his home in Hackensack, N. J. His mother, Mrs. Charlotte A. Virgien, died later on the same day at her residence, 20 Glenada Place, Brooklyn. Mr. Virgien died after a short illness from pneumonia. His mother was not told of his death. She was the widow of Alexander E. Virgien. She was born in Scotland. Her son was born in Brooklyn and was in the insurance business. Mother and son will be buried together in Greenwood Cemetery.

The Rev. Charles W. Collins.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—The Rev. Charles W. Collins, former Chancellor of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland, Maine, died at St. Clement's House, of which he was chaplain, on Sunday night. He accompanied Cardinal O'Connell as Secretary of Legation on the latter's papal mission to Japan in 1906 and was decorated with the Order of the Rising Sun. He was a writer of note in Catholic periodicals.

Obituary Notes.

Colonel GEORGE W. BRECKENRIDGE, reputed to be one of the wealthiest men in the Pikes Peak region, died last night in Colorado. Colonel Breckenridge was a Regent of the University of Texas and has been known for his philanthropies for more than fifty years. He never married. He is survived by his sister, Miss Eleanor Breckenridge.

JAMES F. DOLAN of the vaudeville team of Dolan and Lenharr, died on Monday. He was 55 years old.

Mrs. STEPHEN H. DE FOREST of Babylon, L. I., died yesterday. She was Miss Lelia Dean, a daughter of William B. and the late Mary Katherine Dean of St. Paul.

MOE HARRIS, for twenty-one years manager of the Frank Brothers store in Third Avenue, died on Monday. Mr. Harris was born in New York and was 59 years old. Mr. Harris was a charter member of the Samuel Tischner Society. He lived at 125 West 104th Street.

Professor A. J. EGE, one of the oldest leaders of the Prohibition Party, died on Monday at his home in Mechanicsburg, Pa. He was born in Baltimore County, Maryland, in April, 1836, his father being a Methodist minister. He was active in the dry cause for twenty-five years.

EDWARD P. BRITTON, a Brooklyn blacksmith for many years, died on Saturday at his home, 102 Steuben Street, Brooklyn.

EDWARD W. SEYMOUR, President of the Hyco Fuel Products Corporation, died suddenly yesterday in his office, 276 Fifth Avenue. He was 70 years old and lived at 1,279 Pacific Street, Brooklyn.

The Rev. WILLIAM FREDERICK BARNY, pastor of the German Reformed Church at Millstown, N. J., died yesterday in his 86th year. He was born in Alsace-Lorraine and came to the United States in 1881.

JOHN BRUCE CHARLOCK, 85 years old, a retired truckman, died on Sunday at his home, 1,336 New York Avenue, Brooklyn.

TWO DEBUTANTES INTRODUCED AT BALLS

Caroline Prentice Greeted at the Ritz, and Juliette Longfellow at Colony Club.

One of the largest balls of the Winter was that last night to introduce Miss Caroline C. Prentice, the débutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Prentice of 23 East Sixty-ninth Street. It took place at the Ritz-Carlton, and was preceded by a dinner of 200 covers, the guests being seated at five large tables placed in the ballroom, the decorations throughout being pink, chiefly begonias. A number of other dinners also preceded the ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentice, and Miss Prentice in white and silver, received their guests near the ballroom entrance. There were about a thousand present. Those for the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. William Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick N. Watrins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ogden Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Pyne, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mitchell of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Widener of Philadelphia.

Other guests for the dinner or dance were the Misses Annie Burr Auchincloss, Muriel Vanderbilt, Barbara Kissel, Grace Vanderbilt, Katharine Post, Evelyn Loew, Elizabeth Woodin, Eliza Perleh, Marion Taylor, Mary Landstreet, Mary Stevens, Elisabeth B. Mosle, Clara Workum, Mary Van R. Cogswell, Eunice James, Eleanor Francke, Eleanor Landon, Isabel Rockefeller, Isabella Wood, Katharine Francis, Helen Trevor, Mary Wistar Morris, Dorothy Sharp, Alice Davison, Katherine Morris, Katherine Emmet, Dorothy D. Brown, Julia B. Fincke, Martha Ottley, Susan Bowers, Marguerite Doubleday, Cynthia Beall, Frances Isham, and Eleanor Peabody.

Miss Juliette Delafield Longfellow, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Longfellow, and granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Livingston Delafield and the late Maturin L. Delafield, was presented last evening at a dance that Mrs. Longfellow gave for her at the Colony Club, which was decorated with garlands and large red Christmas bells. The dance was preceded by a number of dinners, the hostesses including Mrs. L. L. Delafield, Mrs. J. H. Towne, Mrs. John Sherman Hoyt, Mrs. Harry R. Balls, Mrs. Hall McCullough, Mrs. W. H. Wadhams, Mrs. Alfred A. Whitman and others.

Mrs. Longfellow and Miss Longfellow had their house guest, Miss Elise du Pont of Philadelphia, receiving with them. A seated supper was served at midnight. Tiny golden bells were placed at each plate, and after supper when the orchestra played "The Jingle Bells," the guests rang them.

The guests included the Misses Elisabeth Moffat, Edith Macy, Sarnia Marquand, Katharine Pell, Adelaide Kip Rhinelander, Ellen Randolph, Louise Schieffelin, Betty Thompson, Margaret Trimble, Marion Taylor, Georgina Wells, Betty Barber, Mary Cameron, Lee Dodge, Eleanor Towne, Margaret Davison, Ethel Chard, Emily Delafield, Betsy Flagg, Alice Goddard, Helen Hoyt, Barbara Hooker, Eunice James and Eleanor King. There were about 400 in all.

Mrs. Sackett M. Barclay and Mrs. Thornton Chard gave a tea dance yesterday afternoon at 10 West Fifty-second Street to introduce Miss Ethel C. E. Chard, the débutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chard. The girls receiving with Miss Chard were the Misses Virginia Lomas, Lispenard Seabury, Lucy Byrd, Dorothy Stevens of Philadelphia, Elisabeth Gardiner and Valette Wells.

Mrs. Robert Ramsey of 570 Park Avenue gave a tea dance yesterday afternoon in the Rose Room at the Plaza for her daughter, Miss Margaret G. Ramsey, and the young girls, as Miss Ramsey will not make her début until next Winter. There were about 200 present.

Sail on the Olympic Today.

Among the prominent Americans leaving today on the White Star liner Olympic to spend the remainder of the Winter in the South of France, Algeria and Egypt are: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Widener, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Leland, Harry S. Lawlow, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hutchins, Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Mrs. Elisha Dyer Jr., Miss Diana Dodge, Miss Margaret Kahn, Colonel Henry H. and Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. George Rose, Miss Gwendolyn Rose, Mrs. J. S. Bretz, Mrs. James W. Corrigan and Mrs. Griswold Gray, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Smith Cochran.

Born.

FROMM—Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Fromm of 2,484 Grand Av., announce the birth of a daughter, on Dec. 28, 1920, at Flower Hospital.

GORDON—Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Gordon, 680 West End Av., announce the birth of a daughter, Dec. 28, 1920.

HAMMETT—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Hammett of 1,891 Topham Av., New York City, announce the birth of a son Dec. 28, 1920.

LANGSTAFF—Mr. and Mrs. B. Meredith Langstaff (nee Esther Knox Boardman), of 19 7th Av., Brooklyn, announce the birth of their son, John Meredith, on Dec. 24.

Engaged.

BADER—SUSSMAN—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Sussman of 765 Jackson Av., the Bronx, New York City, announce the engagement of their daughter Ida to Mr. Maximilian Bader.

Married.

EIDELSBERG—STRAUSS—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Strauss of 5,407 16th Av., Brooklyn, announce the marriage of their daughter Jessie to Dr. Joseph Eidelsberg of 91 Fort Washington Av., N. Y. C., at Congregation Anse Sfard of Brooklyn, on Sunday, Dec. 26.

LA MONTAGNE—GARRETT—Dec. 27, René M. La Montagne to Grace Argo Garrett.

MACDONALD—CATRON—On Dec. 25, at Chattanooga, Tenn., Genevieve, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Graham Catron, to Colin Isel

LANG WINS TWICE IN INDOOR TOURNEY

Takes Two Matches in Junior Tennis Title Event and Looms as Final Contender.

RICHARDS ALSO ADVANCES

Present Titleholder Defeats Hicks Decisively in Round Before the Semi-Finals.

Play in the indoor tennis tournament for the national junior championships progressed to the round before the semi-finals yesterday afternoon on the courts of the Seventh Regiment Armory, and in the boys' indoor title event the semi-finals were reached. A good start was made in the junior doubles.

Jerry Lang of George Washington University and the New York Tennis Club loomed up as the most probable opponent of Vincent Richards in the final round of the junior tournament. Lang won two sharply contested matches yesterday. He defeated Frank A. Osgood in the second round in two sets scored, 6—3, 6—3, the score in both remaining even up to 5 all, when Lang came through with a winning drive. It was superior steadiness that was the deciding issue in his favor against Osgood, as it was also later in the day when he met Charles Wood, last year's champion in the boys' singles, in the third round. Wood presented an able argument against his speedy rival, but was obliged to bow to him in straight sets, both scored 6—4.

Easy Triumph for Richards.

Richards, who should be able to repeat his triumphs of 1918 and 1919 in the junior singles, reached the round before the semi-finals at the expense of W. R. Hicks of Peddie Institute. He won handily at 6—1, 6—1, and was never really extended. The eight remaining in the junior singles will fight through the fourth round matches today.

William Aydelotte, the former Pacific Coast player, now of this city, continued to display the sort of form that makes him look like a dangerous contender. In his match with C. F. Mathey in the third round, Aydelotte cut no swift a pace, playing with such sureness and severity overhead and on the volley, that he romped through both his sets without the loss of a single game. Aydelotte serves well, too, his first delivery in particular having sting enough yesterday to gain him a considerable number of aces.

J. Tucker of the Horace Mann School eliminated Dr. R. Bradley of Pleasantville after many keen exchanges. Bradley offered stiffer opposition than appears in the scores of 6—4, 6—2. Harry Pickells of Flushing and Jack Martin also had a close struggle before Pickells came through with a well earned victory at 6—2, 7—5. The Hopkins-Sheridan match was a meeting of two Yale men. Both played a good, fast game, and there was little to choose between them. The first set ran to twenty games before Hopkins pulled it out. The second session was almost equally close, with Hopkins on the winning end of a 6—4 count. The third-round victory of Parke Cummings of Harvard over Willis Geis of St. Paul's furnished plenty of spirited action and was the only third-round match of the day to be extended beyond two sets. The Harvard man won cleverly at 6—3, 6—8, 8—3. Arthur Orth advanced through the third round with a more decisive score.

Lang Loses in Doubles.

Something of a surprise was created in the junior doubles when the strong team of Lang and Wood went down before Bernstein and Gittler. Bernstein was the boys' champion of 1918 and both he and his partner played aggressively and exhibited commendable smoothness of form.

In the boys' singles Einsmann, Hedekin, Gittler and Bearman became the semi-finalists.

The summaries:

JUNIOR INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP, SINGLES.

Second Round—Jack Martin defeated Morris H. Ruger, 6—1, 6—0; Jerry Lang defeated Frank C. Osgood, 6—3, 6—3; C. F. Mathey defeated Arthur Glore, 6—4, 6—4, 7—5; William Aydelotte won from Jack Cronin by default.

Third Round—J. J. Tucker defeated D. R. Bradley, 6—4, 6—2; Harry Pickells defeated Jack Martin, 6—2, 7—5; Arthur Orth defeated Ernest Kuhn, 6—2, 6—3; Jerry Lang defeated Charles M. Woods Jr., 6—4, 6—3; William Aydelotte defeated C. F. Mathey, 6—0, 6—0; A. L. Hopkins defeated A. B. Sheridan, 11—9, 6—4; Vincent Richards defeated W. R. Hicks, 6—1, 6—1; Parke Cummings defeated Willis Geis, 6—3, 6—8, 8—3.

JUNIOR INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP, DOUBLES.

First Round—Lesser and Newberger defeated Mumford and Short, 6—4, 6—1; Orth and Kuhn defeated Hercules and Biddle, 6—3, 6—3; Hurd and Cummings defeated Horn and Ruger, 6—3, 6—3, 6—3; Hedekin and Geis defeated Sheridan and Stoddard, 6—3, 6—4, 6—4; Bernstein and Gittler defeated Wood and Lang, 6—4, 6—3.

Second Round—Gore and Kuhn defeated Lesser and Newberger, 6—4, 6—4; Tucker and Aydelotte defeated Hopkins and Hicks, 7—5, 6—4.

BOYS' INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP, SINGLES.

Second Round—Paul O'Brien defeated J. C. Yates, 6—3, 6—3.

Third Round—William Einsmann defeated Louis H. Rouillon, 7—5, 6—3; David D. Louis defeated Paul O'Brien, 6—3, 8—6, 6—3; Sidney J. Gittler defeated Orrell Acker, 6—4, 5—7, 6—1; Herbert D. Bearman defeated William Noble, 6—1, 6—0.

HARRIERS GO TO OXFORD.

Cornell Runners Reach Scene of Final Training for Race.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—After spending Christmas in London as guests of the Anglo-American Club and the American University Union, the Cornell runners yesterday went to Oxford to finish training for Thursday's race. On Friday Coach Moakley walked his men over the seven-mile Roehampton course, where the annual Oxford-Cambridge cross-country classic has been held for years, affording the Americans an opportunity to study the route.

The course starts in the Thames Valley at Roehampton, a suburb southwest of London, and follows a circular route, which includes a water plunge and a long stretch of plowed land, and finishes with a mile and a half run over Wimbledon Common to the starting point.

A combination Oxford-Cambridge team of seven men will be entered against the Americans. The first ten men to finish in the race will be scored by the American system—one point for first place, two points for second, and so on—and the team having the smallest number of points will be declared the winner.

Announcement today that Montague, the Oxford captain and holder of the record of 41 minutes 13 seconds for the Roehampton Course, is suffering from blood-poisoning and probably will not be able to compete, came as a severe blow to the English team. Montague has been considered an ideal captain for this year's Oxford-Cambridge race. He picked his team and then finished first.

The favorable weather, which is drying up the course, will be an aid to the Americans.

Dempsey Referees Bout.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 28.—Jack Dempsey left for Los Angeles today. He officiated as referee in a boxing bout last night arranged as a testimonial to Walter D. Bratt, former local sporting editor. More than $5,000 was realized for the widow and her two children.

Davis Cup Tennis Matches Again Postponed by Rain

AUCKLAND, New Zealand, Dec. 28.—The Davis Tennis Cup championship match scheduled for today was again postponed on account of rain, and the first round will be played tomorrow.

As already announced, the draw for the challenge round of matches for the Davis Cup will bring William T. Tilden 2d, the American champion, against Norman E. Brookes, representing Australasia, and William M. Johnston, America, against Gerald L. Patterson, Australasia, on the opening day of play. The same quartet will figure in the doubles on the second day and the final singles matches on the third day.

PRINCETON CLUB WINS AT SQUASH

Defeats Army and Navy Team by Score of 4 to 1—Crescent-Deke Match Unfinished.

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE SQUASH TENNIS STANDING, CLASS B.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Yale Club	5	0	1000
Columbia Club	4	2	.667
Crescent A. C.	3	2	.600
Harvard Club	3	2	.500
D. K. E. Club	2	3	.400
Princeton Club	2	4	.333
Army and Navy Club	0	6	.000

Only two matches in the Class B squash tennis team tournament of the Metropolitan League were scheduled for decision yesterday afternoon, and of these but one reached completion. The Princeton Club defeated the Army and Navy Club by a score of 4 matches to one. Neither team presented a completed seven, but as the Princeton team captured a majority of seven matches, it was decided to leave the other two contests unplayed. The Crescent A. C. and D. K. E. Club started their match at the home court of the Dekes but will not be able to complete it until this afternoon.

Four of the Princeton Club players won their matches yesterday in straight games, Nicholas Rowe and Cromwell won with a good deal to spare, but Walker had a hard tussle with Ayres before he could triumph at 18—17, 15—13. Ayres drew up almost to even terms in both games, but faltered in the final strokes.

Geoffrey Taylor was the only winner for the Army and Navy Club. He defeated Basil Harris in three games that developed a great deal of speed as well as a high order of skill. Taylor dropped the first game at 15—11, and then won the next two after both had been set for extra points. This was an exciting struggle and the evenness of the play is clearly enough indicated in the scores of the last two games, 18—16, 18—17.

The result of the match had no effect upon the standing of the leaders in the Class B race. It did enable the Princeton Club to draw closer to the D. K. E. Club, however.

The results of yesterday's play follow:

Princeton Club 4, Army and Navy Club 1

Geoffrey Taylor, Army and Navy, defeated Basil Harris, Princeton, 11—15, 18—16, 16—17; George A. Walker Jr., Princeton, defeated Clifford Ayres, Army and Navy, 15—11, 13—15, 15—8; Princeton, defeated G. M. Carnechan, Army and Navy, 15—8, 15—7; Harold Rowe, Princeton, defeated L. A. Sigaud, Army and Navy, 15—10, 15—2; Jarvis Cromwell, Princeton, defeated J. J. Dean, Army and Navy, 15—6, 15—7.

AMATEUR CYCLISTS UNITE.

Organize the Bicycle League of America and Elect Officers.

Amateur cycling activities in the local district will be conducted under the supervision of a new directing body in the future. Announcement was made last night, following a series of meetings at which local amateur cyclists and officials of the sport discussed the proposition, that a new controlling body, to be known as the Amateur Bicycle League of America, had been installed, partly on a reorganization of and partly to replace the Interclub Amateur Cycle Road Racing League, which has supervised the non-professional sport in this district heretofore. The formation of this new body is a direct outgrowth of the disruption in cycling circles resulting from the recent clash between the six-day riders who competed in the Twenty-second Regiment Armory and those in the Madison Square Garden races.

The question of launching the new organization has been widely discussed in the course of meetings attended by riders and representatives of the bicycle clubs in the metropolitan district. The meeting at which it was formally decided to form the league was held at the headquarters of the Unione Sportiva Italiana, one of the leading local amateur cycle clubs. A dozen clubs were represented by delegates acting for about 2,500 amateur cyclists and enthusiasts. It was decided to seek affiliation with the Amateur Athletic Union and the Military Athletic League, and steps in this direction have already been taken. A constitution and by-laws, together with rules governing the sport, have been adopted. Sanctions and registrations will be issued and as the organization becomes established it is planned to enlarge its scope to include the various sections of the country where amateur cycling is popular. Representatives of the new league will be appointed for the different parts of the country as developments demand.

Clubs which were represented at the last meeting included the Acme Wheelmen, New England Wheelmen, Unione Sportiva Italiana and Century Road Club Association of Manhattan; Bay View Wheelmen of Newark, N. J.; Century Road Club Association of Long Island; Empire City Wheelmen, Italian American Gymnastic Association and Thirteenth Regiment A. A., Brooklyn; Hudson County Wheelmen, Bayonne, N. J.; North Hudson Wheelmen, Hoboken, N. J.; Quaker City Cycling Association, Philadelphia, and the Century Road Club of America. The Amateur Bicycle League of America, which has gained the distinction of receiving the first sanction for a race meet. Applications for individual membership numbering more than 100 and blanks for registration and sanctions for meets in various armories have already been received.

D. J. McIntyre, New England Wheelmen, former leader of the Interclub League, was elected President and T. Ryan, Empire City Wheelmen, Vice President. Eugene Suykerbuyk of the Acme Wheelmen is Secretary and E. Taborelli, North Hudson Wheelmen, is Treasurer. Registration and Sanction, Board of Appeals, Membership, Auditing and Trustees committees were appointed. The respective Chairmen of these committees, A. R. Jacobson, C. R. C. A.; G. C. Dresser, C. R. C. A.; George Harley, Q. C. C. A.; C. R. Nylander, D. A. C. of Jersey, and Frank E. Barbere, U. S. A., will serve as the Board of Control of the new organization.

Indianapolis to Play Yanks.

LAKE CHARLES, La., Dec. 28.—The Indianapolis Club of the American Association will do its Spring training in Crowley, La. A series will be played with the New York Americans, according to an announcement by the Chamber of Commerce.

National Leaguer Released.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 28.—"Bill" McKechnie has been released by the Pittsburgh National League baseball club to the Minneapolis team of the American Association, it became known here today.

WILL SPEED TRIALS OF CHICAGO PLAYERS

Preliminary Hearing on World's Series Scandal to Be Started in Three Weeks.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—The preliminary hearing for the eight Chicago American League baseball players and five alleged gamblers who were indicted by the Cook County Grand Jury in connection with the alleged "throwing" of games in the 1919 world's series will be held within three weeks and the trial will begin shortly after, State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe announced tonight.

Mr. Crowe assigned George E. Gorman, Second Assistant State's Attorney, to handle the case and ordered him to prepare for an immediate trial. Mr. Crowe refused to say whether Hartley Replogle, former Assistant State's Attorney, who handled the Grand Jury investigation, would be connected with the prosecution of the indicted men.

Mr. Gorman tonight said he had not had time to go into the case thoroughly, but expected to devote the next few days to a study of the Grand Jury investigation. He refused to discuss the trial of the Pacific Coast League players, wherein the Judge ruled that "throwing" games was not a criminal offense, but said that he would ask attorneys for the records so that he could see what bearing it might have on the trial here.

Eddie Cicotte, Joe Jackson and Claude Williams confessed their share in the scandal to the Grand Jury, and Oscar Felsch was quoted by newspaper reporters as confessing to them, but Felsch, Buck Weaver, "Swede" Risberg and McMullin have officially denied that they were guilty and have hired counsel. Jackson and Williams also have been quoted in press dispatches as saying they "would be back in baseball next season." Chick Gandil, the eighth player indicted, has not announced his plans in regard to the trial.

MINORS CRITICISE PACT.

League President Says They Will Reject New Baseball Agreement.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Continued opposition to the agreement between major and minor baseball leagues, recently drafted in New York, was expressed today by George H. Maines, President of the Michigan-Ontario League, after a conference with A. Fearney, President of the Western League. President Maines predicted that the minor leagues' association at its meeting here Jan. 10 would not ratify the proposed agreement for the government of organized baseball.

Chief objections of the minor leagues, as expressed by Mr. Maines, are that the agreement for twenty-five years covers too long a period; that the minors would have too little influence in settlement of questions in which they were vitally interested, and that they would have no voice in the selection of a successor for Judge K. M. Landis after the expiration of his seven years as commissioner.

After meeting President Fearney, Mr. Maines conferred with President Johnson of the American League, who agreed with him in his contention that a twenty-five-year agreement was too long.

"Conditions in baseball are changing so constantly," Mr. Johnson said, "that I would favor, in the light of past experience, a revision of the governing rules every five years, and would strongly advise against an agreement for a longer date. Any agreement that is made can be scrapped in a day, as was the case with the last one."

SELECTS GIANTS' ATTIRE.

McGraw Shows Sartorial Skill in Color Scheme of Uniforms.

Manager John J. McGraw, a stickler for the sartorial niceties, has given much thought recently to the subject of a becoming garb for the Giants for the coming season. His idea is to have something natty and becoming, while at the same time conforming to the latest styles and to all the canons of good taste. After consulting all the recent hints from Paris and conferring with tailors, hatters, hosiers and sockers, he has evolved the following:

Home uniforms to be white, with wide navy blue stripe; caps, white, with navy blue striped crown, navy blue visor, with N. Y. in monogram in navy blue on the front; stockings to be navy blue, with white anklets.

Road uniforms to be of plain blue-gray; shirts to be lettered "Giants" across the front in navy blue and caps to have a gray crown, with navy blue visor, with N. Y. in monogram in front in navy blue; stockings to be navy blue, with gray anklets.

600 TO DINE WITH COBB.

Ty's Acceptance of Managerial Honors Will Be Celebrated in Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 28.—Definite word has been received from Ty Cobb that he will be in Detroit the latter part of January to be the guest of honor at a banquet celebrating his acceptance of the managership of the Tigers. Plates for 600 are planned. Special invitations have been sent men high in baseball and political circles, including President Johnson of the American League, President Hayden of the National, Michigan's Congressmen, Governor-elect Groesbeck and Mayor Couzens.

COACHES SWAP TRIBUTES.

Ohio State and California Football Mentors Praise Each Other.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 28.—Dr. John Wilce and Andrew Smith, head coaches, respectively, of the football teams of Ohio State University and the University of California, took time today from preparations for the game here New Year's Day to exchange compliments on each other's squads.

This was done through signed statements which appeared side by side in The Los Angeles Express.

"It seems to me," wrote Andy Smith, "that in some quarters there is a wrong impression regarding California's attitude toward the game with Ohio State. California is not over-confident. We believe we have already a really great team, but we do not think we have next Saturday's game sewed up."

I fully realize the ability of the California team," read Dr. Wilce's statement, "and have a since respect for the ability of Coach Smith. Without doubt he has a great eleven, and I look forward to a hard-fought game, harder and closer than any we have had yet, and that is saying a lot."

Meantime each team was reported to have engaged in hard practice, which, as usual since their arrival here, was done in the strictest secrecy.

Rumors were afloat today that Smith contemplated starting Dutch Bolz at right halfback instead of Orin Toomey, the star of the California-Stanford game, but there was no official confirmation.

A reported probable change in the Buckeye line-up is the substitution of Charles Taylor for Fullback Williams, because of the condition of the latter's knee. Dr. Wilce, however, took no official cognisance of the report.

Sport writers and others who went to Tournament Park today to see what they could of the practice of the teams found an empty field. They learned later that the coaches had resorted to strategy to keep their plays secret.

Show Appreciation of Coach.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 28.—A check for $1,000 was given by citizens to Coach Clarence N. Amiott of the Fitchburg High School football team at the annual football banquet tonight in appreciation of his efforts in developing the eleven. Although defeated by Cleveland's West Technical High School, 27 to 0, here on Dec. 4, Fitchburg High won eight of its eleven games. Members of the team were presented with sweaters and gold watch charms.

PENALTIES IMPOSED UPON FOUR BOXERS

Commission Hands Out Indefinite Suspensions—To Insist on Physical Fitness.

That the Boxing Commission and the License Committee intrusted with the administration of the Walker law governing boxing bouts in this State intend to enforce the provisions of the law strictly was illustrated yesterday with the issuance of a list of four suspensions meted out at the last joint session of the two bodies. Indefinite periods of enforced inactivity were prescribed for a quartet of boxers, and the suspension of Tommy Connelly, Syracuse referee, originally announced as for thirty days, was also made of indefinite length.

In the list of boxers affected by the latest decree of the governing officials appears the name of Perry Murphy, a little-known colored boxer, who is set down as "physically incapacitated for engaging in any boxing contests." In explaining this particular case yesterday, Secretary Charlie White declared that a recent contest at the Freeport S. C., in which Murphy was a participant, was stopped abruptly in the second round because of the condition of the colored boxer. Murphy, an examination by a physician disclosed, was suffering from a nervous trouble which deprived him of control of his limbs. The condition was not discovered until the boxer was in the ring, according to the report read yesterday by Secretary White, but when it was revealed in the work of the boxer prompt action was taken.

Murphy, as a consequence, has been indefinitely suspended. Dr. J. E. Conboy, a commission physician, has been appointed to make a thorough examination of the boxer and report back to the commission, when the case will be called for further action. It is probable that Murphy will be deprived of his license as a boxer if Dr. Conboy's report discloses that he is suffering from a nervous condition which would impair his work in the ring or subject him to danger. This particular case, Secretary White said, is but a forerunner of an extensive campaign which it is planned to undertake, in order to safeguard boxers from possible accident in the ring because of lack of proper physical condition.

Kewpie Coliander, Western bantamweight; Jimmy Sullivan, a local boxer, and Dave Rosenberg, former amateur welterweight champion, were the other boxers indefinitely suspended. Coliander was punished for his failure to appear as scheduled for a contest against Roy Moore at Madison Square Garden Dec. 22. The ring midgets were slated for one of the preliminaries to the Joe Lynch-Pete Herman champion-hip battle. Sullivan was set down for failure to appear as scheduled against Sammy Sieger at the Commonwealth Sporting Club Dec. 15. Rosenberg's offense was that he failed to appear for a contest against Walter Mohr at the Ridgewood Grove Sporting Club Dec. 18.

SHARKEY IN RING TONGHT.

West Side Bantam to Meet Roy Moore in Bout at Garden.

Whether Jack Sharkey is still entitled to serious consideration as a bantamweight title contender will be determined this evening at Madison Square Garden, where the scrappy little west side Italian engages Roy Moore, St. Paul bantamweight, in the stellar fifteen-round bout. This contest tops a popular-priced card which Promoter Tex Rickard has arranged for patrons of boxing at the Garden. Moore is substituting for Pal Moore, Memphis boxer, who was originally scheduled to oppose Sharkey but who was forced to cancel the match because of an infection to one of his ears.

Moore is recommended highly by followers of boxing who have witnessed him in action. The St. Paul boxer, therefore, is expected to extend Sharkey, who is seeking to re-establish himself for the purpose of securing another match against Champion Joe Lynch. Moore participated in a preliminary bout, scheduled for ten rounds, on the occasion of the Lynch-Herman match at the Garden on the occasion the St. Paul ring midget disposed of Jimmy Martin, a substitute boxer, in less than a round.

Two ten-round bouts and a six-round encounter will precede the Sharkey-Moore contest. Panama Joe Gans and Sailor Darden, colored middleweights, will exchange blows in one of the ten-round events, while in the other Charlie Pilkington, former amateur champion, will engage Tommy Kilm, sturdy Paterson, N. J., lightweight. In the six-round bout Packey O'Gatty and Kid Atkins will clash.

NEW YORK GIRLS WIN.

Defeat Philadelphia Hockey Team in Spirited Contest by 2 to 0.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—Father Knickerbocker's girls' hockey seven vanquished William Penn's feminine chasers of the rubber disk in their intercity clash here tonight at the Auditorium by a score of 2 to 0. The contest was witnessed by a large crowd and produced plenty of exciting competition. Only the excellent defensive work of the local septet prevented a more convincing victory for the New York girls. The skaters from Manhattan waged a determined battle up and down the ice through the three periods, striving almost without let-up to slash the puck into the Quakers' net. Except for two spectacular shots, the defense of the local players held.

Miss Elsie Muller was one of the Manhattanites to crash through the local defense for the coveted goal. The other New York tally came when Miss Violet Prem's stick sent a well-directed shot whizzing past Miss Marion Favidde into the Philadelphia net.

The line-up:

NEW YORK (2).		PHILADELPHIA (0).
Miss O. Barth	R. W.	Miss E. Savior
Miss M. Stinger	L. W.	Miss W. Richards
Miss M. Truslow	C.	Miss E. Scott
Miss A. Meehan	P.	Mrs. J. Gilmore
Miss E. Muller	R. S.	Miss M. Shartles
Miss M. Prem	L. S. P.	Miss C. Valentine
Miss M. Favidde	G.	Miss M. Pancoast

Goals—New York: Miss Muller and Miss Prem.

Goal umpires—T. Lynch, New York, and James Maxwell, Philadelphia. Referee—E. Mill, Philadelphia. Time of periods—Three of 10 minutes each.

HOCKEY OFFICIALS IN ROW.

Pittsburgh Ready to Withdraw Unless Drury Is Allowed to Play.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—A row among officials of the United States Amateur Hockey Association and the management of Duquesne Garden, where all the games of the Pittsburgh team are played, threatens to end first-class hockey in this city. It was announced today that tonight's game between Pittsburgh and the University of Toronto would be the last, because of alleged interference by association officials with the personnel of the team.

It is claimed that President Haddock and Secretary-Treasurer Schooley of the United States Amateur Hockey Association refused to allow them to play Herbert Drury, last year's star, after learning that the Ontario organization had refused Drury a playing certificate with Port Colborne, Ont., this season, and therefore the officials of the United States Association say they cannot allow Drury to play here, as they are closely allied with the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association and the Ontario Hockey Association.

If the Duquesne Garden management withdraws the team from the ice, it means that Pittsburgh will not be included in the coming tournament of the association with teams from Cleveland, St. Paul, Duluth, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. A new schedule will have to be arranged.

Walter Johnson Signs for Fifteenth Year in Majors

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Pitcher Walter Johnson's signed contract for the season of 1921, his fifteenth season in major league baseball, was received today by President-Manager Griffith of the Washington American League club. Johnson wrote from his farm near Coffeyville, Kan., that the injury to his arm which handicapped him last season had yielded to treatment and that he expected to regain his former effectiveness. Johnson will be 34 years old on his next birthday.

ADVANCE PRACTICE FOR POLICE BOXERS

State Championships May Help New Yorkers Prepare for Battle With London 'Bobbies.'

Members of the New York Police Department expect some competitive preparation for their boxing contests against the "bobbies" of London in the approaching New York State amateur championship boxing tournament, which will be held at Madison Square Garden Jan. 3 and 4. Patrolman Bill Spengler, former local heavyweight champion, who is regarded as a probable selection for ring combat against the invading English policemen, yesterday visited local A. A. U. headquarters and submitted the entries of two brother policemen for the State title tournament. The bluecoats are Arthur Wollat, present heavyweight champion of the department, and Frank Adams, a light-heavyweight. Both will compete for the New York Police Club.

While there was no specific information divulged by Spengler when he submitted the entries, it is likely that the nomination of the policemen for the coming State title tournament will set in the nature of a competitive preparation for the contemplated ring engagements against the British policemen. Spengler is regarded as the logical local choice for the international heavyweight bout, but there is no positive assurance of his selection. The amateur champion's right hand was injured in the recent Olympic games boxing, in which Spengler attained the semi-final round, where he was compelled to withdraw because of the injury. Since that time Spengler's hand has not responded properly to treatment, and it is a question whether he will be in condition to engage in the international tournament.

Under the circumstances the nomination of Wollat for the State heavyweight title can be considered as a precautionary measure against any emergency arising through Spengler's incapacitation. Wollat won the departmental heavyweight championship in the tournament conducted at the Crescent A. C. of Brooklyn the last April, and is said to be a capable boxer. In the forthcoming State tournament the patrolman-boxer would receive a competitive preparation calculated to aid materially in his training for the international bouts which are to follow.

Adams also is said to be a formidable ringman, being numbered among the best amateurs of his class in the district. In the Crescent tournament he was runner-up for the department light-heavyweight title. Several years ago he competed as a member of the Union Settlement A. C., winning many contests in open tournament competition during his career as a U. S. A. C. member.

While the rule governing amateur boxing specifies three rounds as the limit of a bout under ordinary conditions, with an extra round in the event of a judges' disagreement and the referee's indecision, the four-round route is the goal for the International Sporting Club said a request will shortly be made to the Amateur Athletic Union, urging it to waive its rule for this particular series of matches to re-establish himself for the purpose of securing another match against Champion Joe Lynch. Moore participated in a preliminary bout, scheduled for ten rounds, on the occasion of the Lynch-Herman match at the Garden on the occasion the St. Paul ring midget disposed of Jimmy Martin, a substitute boxer, in less than a round.

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URGES TEACHING OF BOXING.

Dr. Aldinger Advocates Regular Classes for Older Schoolboys.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—A plea for the teaching of boxing to every boy, particularly in the older grades in the public school, was expressed by Dr. A. E. Aldinger of New York, Director of Physical Training of the public school system of Greater New York, at today's annual session of the Athletic Research Association.

The sessions of the association were attended by well known coaches and athletic directors of the Middle Western Intercollegiate Conference, many of the great Eastern universities, and Y. M. C. A., public school and city and civic centres athletic directors.

Dr. Aldinger is President of the Research Association and was the principal speaker. W. H. Ball, representing the National Y. M. C. A., was another speaker.

"Every boy should be taught to box," Dr. Aldinger said, "but I do not think boxing should be taught in the elementary grades. The boys in these lower classes are too young. In New York we have boxing gloves in every high school and hold regular boxing classes. Department athletics outlined the purpose of the association of athletic research as "to study athletics in all details, so as to make all phases of athletic activity and procedure more efficient and raise the general standard of athletic performance."

W. H. Ball, the International Y. M. C. A. Committee Chairman on Athletics, prophesied a gradual improvement in humankind through right living and intelligent athletic activity, education which the research association was sponsoring.

WELSH STOPS GREEN.

Ex-Champion Scores a Technical Knockout in Newark Bout.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 28.—Freddie Welsh, former world's lightweight champion, made a victorious return to boxing activity at the Coliseum A. C. here tonight, when he scored a technical knockout over Willie (Kid) Green of Boston in four rounds of a scheduled twelve-round bout. Green refused to answer the bell for the fifth round, claiming that he had wrenched his right shoulder. Examination by Drs. Blackburn and Reich, who stepped into the ring when the spectators clamored insistently for an examination, failed to disclose evidence of damage.

Welsh, during the length of time occupied by the bout, showed flashes of the form which was his before Benny Leonard separated him from the title more than three years ago. The former champion, at 137½ pounds, appeared none too slender about the waistline and at times his direction was unreliable. Welsh, however, demonstrated that he is still a clever performer offensively and defensively and a busy individual at work in close quarters. On several distinct occasions the man who fell before the blows of Leonard showed flashes of his erstwhile hitting strength in substantiation of the reports which had been circulated that he was developing a punch for the purpose of returning to the ring.

Roper to Fight Walker.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 28.—Captain Bob Roper arrived from Chicago this morning to finish training for his ten round contest here Thursday night with Hugh Walker, Kansas City heavyweight. On the same bill, Arlos Hastings, Bartlesville, will meet Young Abe Attell, of New York, for ten rounds. The latter pair are lightweights.

BRITISH POLO FOUR TENTATIVELY PICKED

Unofficial Advices Name Tomkinson, Dalmeny, Woodhouse and Lockett for Cup Team.

According to unofficial advices received from England, the make-up of the British polo team which will meet our American quartet of mallet wielders on the famous Hurlingham Field in England next June for the championship of the world and the Hurlingham Trophy will call for a total handicap of 36 goals.

The announced make-up of the British international team includes Lieut. Col. H. A. Tomkinson, 8 goals; Lord Dalmeny, 6 goals; Lord Woodhouse, 10 goals, and Major Vivian N. Lockett, 10 goals, or a total of 36 goals. This representative four will have the advantage of practice against another four considered by many to be equally good, if not better. This team will be the old Cantabs, including Major F. B. Harrndell, 8 goals, at No. 1; Frederick M. Freake, 9 goals, at No. 2; W. S. Buckmaster, 10 goals, at No 3, and Lord Rocksavage, 9 goals, at back, or a total of 36 goals, the handicap of the international team.

Mr. Buckmaster is conceded by many to be the best polo player in all Britain, but he has never taken part in an international match against this country, although the Cantabs, of which he is the star, are reported to have defeated the British international team in four successive games before the latter came to this country in 1914.

Reason for Star's Absence.

The same reason is ascribed to Buckmaster's absence from the British team that is responsible for Malcolm Stevenson not having been selected as one of the American four. Both are star players of the greatest brilliancy, but both are supposed to be temperamentally unsuited to international contests.

In addition to the Cantabs, the British "big four" has another great galaxy of stars with which to get the best of practice. Among the players on this four are Lieut. Col. H. S. Ashton and Gordon Withers, both top-notchers. This means that the defending quartet will have every advantage as regards the quality of the competition it meets before the big matches, and in this respect it is further reported that, aside from such match practice as the Britishers will get in Southern France, they may journey into Spain for still further tuning up. While there, aside from meeting other crack British teams, the cup four may cross mallets with one or two of the unusually clever Spanish quartets.

Among the players nominated for both American and British teams there is but one left-handed player, he being Watson Webb. The Hurlingham authorities recognize but twenty-one players of the left-handed variety, and they are the only ones permitted to play in important contests. All of these twenty-one registered as southpaws in 1907 at Hurlingham, at which time it was ruled that no others would thereafter be permitted to play.

Registered Left-Handers.

The registered left-handers include J. S. Bakewell, Lieutenant R. C. Bayldon, R. N.; H. A. Bellville, T. A. Driscoll, F. J. Grace, A. Grisar, W. R. Gwynne, L. R. S. Holoway, L. Larocq, G. A. Lockett, J. McConnell, Bradley Martin Jr., Baron Oscar de Zegwaart, E. A. Sanderson, A. Scott Robson, Captain A. Seymour, P. D. Sullivan, R. Wade Palmer, W. Craig Wadsworth, Watson Webb and Major F. H. Wise.

In commenting on the make-up of the American polo team which is to invade England next Spring, British papers generally agree that Uncle Sam is to be represented by a strong combination that will call for the best playing of the Britishers. The synopsis of opinion is that the four may not be quite as good all around as the team of 1909, which, captained by Harry Payne Whitney and made up of the Waterbury brothers with Devereux Milburn at back, took the English polo world by surprise and with two smashing victories captured the cup which had been in British possession for twenty-five years. Still, it is admitted that it is a remarkably good team.

The British authorities admit that Milburn appears to have lost none of his wonderful skill and power and that with Webb, a dashing, versatile player in the position formerly occupied by Whitney America will have an exceptionally strong defense. Malcolm Stevenson is described as "a very brilliant No. 3, but said to have a less perfect temperament for international polo than Webb."

Ramsey's Possibilities.

The opinion is advanced that in the forwards the Americans may prove less irresistible than were the Meadow Brooks when the Waterbury brothers were at their zenith, but they admit that Stoddard is known as a very sound, dogged 1, and Thomas Hitchcock Jr. has the reputation of being one of the most dashing and improving No. 2's in this country.

As regards the substitutes for the American team, the selection of Stoddard in preference to Ramsey is attributed to the former's greater experience, although it is admitted that Ramsey, by his consistently good work in attack last Summer, created a fine impression.

Ramsey is described as a finished horseman and almost a second Larry Waterbury in his quickness and variety of strokes, all around polo. No comment is made regarding Earl W. Hopping, who, apparently, is not well known abroad, but in this country is recognized as one of the ablest of players, with a wealth of skill and ability in reserve, which it is believed in certain circles, may eventually result in his being selected to take part in the big match, despite the fact that he is nominated as a substitute. This, however, will depend largely upon the showing he makes during the coming Winter. He will play in California until ready to leave for England.

TO CONFER ON W. VA. COACH.

Athletic Director Stansbury May Reach Decision in Chicago.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Harry A. Stansbury, Athletic Director of the University of West Virginia, left here yesterday for Chicago to confer with a "prominent football coach." The unnamed coach, it was said, will be offered the position of head coach at West Virginia next Fall, to succeed Tubby McIntire. Mr. Stansbury yesterday refused to say who his conferee would be, but indicated that announcement might be made from Chicago after the conference if an agreement should be reached.

Mr. Stansbury will also attend the meetings of the Graduate Managers' Association, the Athletic Research Society and the National Collegiate Association while in Chicago.

PURDUE NOT DROPPED.

Quietus Given Rumor of Ouster From Western Conference.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Denial of rumors that Purdue University was to be dropped from the Western Conference was made today by Nelson Kellog, director of athletics at Purdue.

Director Kellogg said there was no foundation for the rumor, which, he said, apparently was circulated in an attempt to "belittle" athletics at Purdue.

"Purdue has scheduled twelve basketball games for this Winter and Spring, the maximum permitted by the conference, and the usual run of indoor and outdoor track meets," Kellogg said. "For the 1921 season in football we have five conference games scheduled."

Coogan in New Year's Bout.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—Mel Coogan, of New York, and Charlie O'Connell, of Cleveland, will meet in a ten round bout at the Motor Square Boxing Club here on New Year's Day.

HOREMANS MAKES 268 IN ONE INNING

Belgian Billiardist Captures Match From Mayer by Total Score of 1,500 to 627.

Winning the two final blocks of the match at the National Recreation Academy in Brooklyn yesterday afternoon and last night, Edouard Horemans defeated Joseph Mayer of Philadelphia by a total score of 1,500 to 627. Horemans made a grand average of 35 5-9, with a high run of 269, while Mayer's grand average was 14¼ and his best run was 100. Horemans won the matinee block yesterday afternoon by a score of 400 to 86, and the Belgian took the night session, 400 to 316.

It was during the afternoon's playing that Horemans showed his best form. He won the game in four innings or an average of an even 100, running out the block with an unfinished cluster of 227. When the evening's play began the balls were placed in the same position that Horemans had left them in and he continued to click off points. He made 31 more before missing, giving him a run of 268. This run was made by some of the prettiest billiard playing seen in this city this season. It was nearly all close work. When he was putting together his 237 points in the afternoon there was a stretch of 119 buttons when he drove his one ball to the cushion only three times. All the rest of the counting during that time was done by ball-to-ball billiards. It was an impressive exhibition of nursing interspersed with several very fine massé shots.

In the evening's match Horemans slowed up in his work considerably. His average for the closing block was an even 25, while Mayer averaged 21 1-15

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If you doubt the wisdom of our advice to buy, and buy now, we ask you to cut this letter out of the paper, together with the market quotations of the listed and unlisted bonds and stocks as they will appear in the New York papers of next Sunday morning, and put these market quotations with our letter in a sealed envelope, to be opened one year from today. We venture the opinion that when you open that envelope you will realize that you have lost a rare opportunity, and will greatly regret it.

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ONE OUTSIDER IS VICTOR

Trooper, 15-to-1 Shot, Takes Fourth Race—Marie Maxim Leads Big Field in Six-Furlong Dash.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 28.—Some of the largest fields which have competed at Jefferson Park since the beginning of Winter racing in this city were seen in competition this afternoon. There was no outstanding feature on the card of seven events and the finishes were anything but exciting, with the possible exception of the last race. In that event Corydon, the favorite, managed to finish in front by a nose. But what the card lacked in class was more than made up by the fact that four favorites and one equal choice flashed under the wire winners and the two others finished second. On the whole, therefore, it was a fairly successful afternoon for the form players, something that may be attributed to the fact that the weather was clear and the track was good.

The program was made up of seven claiming races and attracted a total of sixty-five horses. While the blue pencil was used quite freely, the smallest field to go to the post was in the last race when seven horses took issue. The large fields would indicate that there were good prizes quoted, and there were but the longest shot of the day was a 15-to-1 quotation, Trooper, which scampered off with the fourth race, a six-furlong test for three-year-olds and upward.

Port Light and Title were made equal choices by the public. They were quoted at 5 to 2 and managed to finish second and third, respectively. Trooper, with Jackey Mooney in the saddle, won by a length from Port Light, with Title a neck behind in third position. Port Light got away to a good start and but for the fact that the gelding tired badly in the last sixteenth might have won. When he slowed down Trooper, which ran in his best form and had been following the pace closely, moved into the lead and won. Port Light barely lasted long enough to save the place from Title, which probably was the best in the race but got away poorly, breaking from the barrier in seventh position in the field of ten starters. Title closed a big gap and finished gamely, grabbing show money by five lengths from Ablaze.

Philanderer Loses Opener.

The form players stuttered at the outset of the afternoon's sport. Philanderer was made the choice in the opening event, a five and a half furlong sprint for maiden two-year-olds. Philanderer got away well and showed plenty of early speed, but was not good enough to win. Jockey Lyke on Rose Cliff restrained his mount, keeping the filly well up behind the pace set by Philanderer until the horses entered the stretch. Then Lyke made his move. Once let down Rose Cliff drew away to win well in hand. Rose Cliff paid her supporters 8½ to 1, and at times there was as good as 4 to 1 to be had against her chances. Calithump finished third, showing a good effort and holding on well at the end. Vulcanize, which finished fourth, might have done a great deal better but for his tendency to run wide. He was restrained by Jockey Coltiletti during the early running of the race in an effort to prevent his running wide, but he bore out badly at the stretch turn and spoiled whatever chances he might have had.

In the second race thirteen horses went to the post. It was a six furlong dash for three-year-olds and the betting indicated that the players were at a loss to decide upon any one of the entrants. The result was that Marie Maxim and Kirah were quoted at the shortest prices. The former won with infinite ease, while the latter finished far back in the ruck in tenth position. Marie Maxim ran as if she were much the best in the race. Just as soon as the barrier was sprung she moved into a good lead and she kept increasing her advantage. Plain Bill ran gamely through the stretch and finished fast, grabbing the place by four lengths from Trackstar. The latter was taken back during the early going and was held well off the pace. When Jockey Nelson let the colt down and urged him, Trackstar came quickly and made up considerable ground under hard urging.

The first outstanding favorite to score was in the third race, a six furlong sprint for two-year-olds. Sea Court was made a hot choice at 3 to 2, and the running of the race substantiated the confidence that had been placed in him. He was away slowly but moved up steadily and drew out in the stretch to win by a length and a half from Bit of Green, which was a half length in front of Hope Princess. Bit of Green broke sideways and was restrained until the stretch was reached, when she was urged and came fast. Hope Princess had much the best of the start but tired in the last sixteenth.

Fifth Race to Waukeag.

Eight horses took issue in the fifth event. They were three-year-olds and upward and were asked to go a mile and a sixteenth. Waukeag was made the choice and although the Pelican Stable's gelding was forced to run wide at the first two turns he moved into the lead when called upon and won well in hand by two lengths from Plenty. Nelle Yorke was third, a length back of Plenty.

The hottest favorite of the day scored in the sixth race, when Lad, quoted at 3 to 5, finished the mile and a quarter test for three-year-olds and upward four lengths in front of Saaln. Lad ran as if he were much the best of the field of eight. He took the lead soon after the start and drew out in the stretch to win as his rider pleased. Ben Hampson was third. He showed early speed but tired in the stretch.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For maiden two-year-olds; purse $600. Five and a half furlongs. Rosecliff, 110 pounds (Lyke), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, first; Philanderer, 113 (Smith), even, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, second; Calithump, 110 (Murray), 25 to 1, 10 to 1, 3 to 1, third. Time—1:09 2-5. Vulcanize, Veormir, Whittle, Lusmere, San Graque and Magic Castle also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds; claiming; purse $600. Six furlongs. Marie Maxim, 111 pounds (Wilson), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, first; Plain Bill, 114 (Pence), 25 to 1, 10 to 1, 5 to 1, second; Track Star, 114 (Nolan), 20 to 1, 8 to 1, 4 to 1, third. Time—1:15. Mickey Moore, Big Idea, Beau Brummel II., Middle, Kirah, On High, Tom Logan, Old Sinner, Benecia and Horeb also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Sea Court, 111 pounds (Pence), 3 to 2, 3 to 5, 1 to 2, first; Bit of Green, 108 (Lyke), 7 to 1, 6 to 2, 9 to 5, second; Hope Princess, 106 (Buxton), 6 to 1, 3 to 1, even, third. Time—1:16. Louise Wynne, Look Leven, Gladys, Lady Stella, Superb, Rape o' the Lock, Crimson Rambler and High Wave also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800. Six furlongs. Trooper, 110 pounds (Mooney), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, first; Port Light, 100 (Jarvis), 9 to 10, even, 1 to 2, second; Title, 115 (Lyke), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, third. Time—1:14. Phantom Fair, Our Birthday, Madge F., The Nephew, Charlie Leydecker, Serbian and Ablaze also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. Waukeag, 111 pounds (Jarvis), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, first; Plenty, 107 (Bryant), 13 to 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Nelle Yorke, 114 (Murray), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5, third. Time—1:49. Miss Filley, Dahabiah II., Nilsah, Double Van and Douglas S. also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $700; one mile and a quarter. Lad, 105 pounds (Roberts), 3 to 5, 1 to 5, out, first; Saaln, 110 (Buxton), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, even, second; Ben Hampson, 110 (Thurber), 10 to 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5, third. Time—2:10 4-5. Dotta's Best, Capt. Hodge, Pinder, Adelante and John L. Day also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $700; one mile and a quarter. Corydon, 113 pounds (Lyke), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, 2 to 5, first; Aunt Jo, 105 (Pollard), 5 to 2, 8 to 5, 1 to 4, second; Keep, 99 (Jarvis), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 7 to 10, third. Time—1:48. Lottery, Lorena Mess, Brookland and Thirteen also ran.

Commander Ross Purchases Motor and Sailing Yachts

Commander J. K. L. Ross is an enthusiastic yachtsman as well as turfman. The owner of Sir Barton and many other well-known thoroughbreds has purchased through the yacht brokerage firm of Tams, Lemoine & Crane of this city the 75-foot speedy cruising motor yacht Oriole and the famous yawl Tamerlane, winner of the sailing race to Bermuda several years ago.

BUFORD IS VICTOR ON HAVANA TRACK

Takes Pan-American Handicap in Sea of Mud—Three Favorites Are Winners.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 28.—A heavy rain early today converted the track into a sea of mud at Oriental Park and the fields were greatly reduced. The form players fared well, however, as three favorites won. The fifth event, the Pan-American Handicap, resulted in a victory for Buford, which suddenly found his racing legs and gathered a purse. He was admirably ridden by Butwell. The mile was run in the slow time of 1:45.

Asurita, at 4 to 1, made a runaway race of the fourth event. She took command at the lifting of the barrier and, always holding a long lead, won at the end by two lengths. Belle of Elizabethtown was a trifle slow at the start, but closed up gradually and was an easy second, four lengths in front of Polar Cub.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Gus Scheer, 113 pounds (Butwell), even, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, first; Huntress, 108 (Lancaster), 9 to 1, 2 to 1, 3 to 5, second; Hat Rack, 105 (Wilson), 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, third. Time—1:12 1-5. Grey Rump, Terrible Susan, Starkadder, Col. Lillard, Golden Red and B. H. Johnson also ran.

SECOND RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; five furlongs. Draftsman, 108 pounds (Esmee), 7 to 10, 1 to 4, out, first; Perhaps, 99 (Lancaster), 2 to 1, 1 to 5, out, second; Kathleen S., 104 (Hoffler), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, out, third. Time—1:05 4-5. George C. Jr. and George W. also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Fickle Fancy, 108 pounds (Garner), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, first; Blasony, 108 (Esmee), 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, second; Thornbloom, 111 (Dominick), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time—1:18 4-5. Waking Dream, Smite, Foster Embry, Marion Hollins and Truant also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $800; five and a half furlongs. Asurita, 102 pounds (Lancaster), 4 to 1, 2 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Belle of Elizabethtown, 112 (Hoeffner), 3 to 1, 7 to 5, 7 to 10, second; Polar Cub, 102 (Wilson), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, third. Time—1:12. Just Fancy, Ulster Queen and Tacola also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Pan-American Handicap; for all ages; purse $1,000; one mile. Buford, 115 pounds (Butwell), 7 to 5, 2 to 5, out, first; Helen Atkin, 105 (Garner), even, 1 to 5, out, second; Bally, 115 (Dreyer), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, out, third. Time—1:45. Mess Kit and Sweep Clean also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one and one-sixteenth miles. Pas de Chance, 110 pounds (Connors), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, first; Sea Prince, 105 (Garner), 2 to 1, even, 1 to 2, second; Bucknall, 110 (Esmee), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, third. Time—1:53 3-5. Duke Ruff, Duke of Shelby and Jack Hill also ran.

NUSS RETAINED AS COACH.

Will Again Instruct Basketball Team at W. and J.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 28.—Announcement was made from athletic headquarters at Washington and Jefferson today that Charles C. Nuss of Washington, for several years basketball coach, had been definitely retained in the position for the present season and that Norbert Garbisch of Washington, brother of the football captain the past season, had been named graduate basketball manager and instructed to complete the schedule.

The action clarifies the basketball situation and puts the Presidents in a position to go ahead with their plans for the season. Coach Nuss took charge of the Red and Black squad this afternoon in preparation for the opening game here Thursday night with Dartmouth. Garbisch today had a conference with former Managers Murdoch and Miller relative to negotiations prior to their resignations and later announced that he expected to have the schedule ready within ten days. He stated that there was a strong possibility that Penn would again be scheduled for a game in Philadelphia. W. and J. has practically a veteran team.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—For maiden two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. *Tuanoras 108 pounds, *Ravanna 106, Diffidence 108, Automatic Red 108, Kentmere 108, Johnny O'Connell 111.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Jack Dawson 104 pounds, *Okemus 104, *Major Pike 105, *Timothy J. Hogan 107, Fleer 107, *Algrette 107, Rora 112, Far East 112.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Vim 102 pounds, *Miss Wright 104, Lucie May 107, *Lady Hester 107, *O'Malley 107, *Short Change 108, *Le Balafre 110, Stillette 110.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Chimera, 104 pounds, *Redland 104, Locust Leaves 104, *Discussion 104, Onagra 107, *Blaseaway 110.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. *Pokey Jane 102 pounds, *Bill Hunley 107, *Sir Edgar 110, Senator James 112, Scarpia II. 112, Ed Garrison 112, Bronco Billy 115.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. *Leinster 100 pounds, *Mildred 102, *Assign 102, *Rhymer 103, *Lariat 103, Hands Off 108, Semper Stalwart 113, Bulger 113.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather raining; track sloppy.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; maidens; one mile. *Tony 115 pounds, *Hoop Over 110, *Royden 110, *Old Rose 107, *Una 107, *Pansy Blossom 107, *Eleve 107, *Beeshaw 107, *Maiden Voter 107, *Marie Rappold 107.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. St. Just 113 pounds, Lonely 115, *Ina Kay 112, Lowell 110, Sauf Conduit 110, Propaganda 110, Rainbow Girl 110, Sabretash 110, Madam Byng 110, *Vangyvania 109, Banyan 107, *Spartan Boy 104, *Caroline S. 104, *Wealthy Ann 102, *Plain Heather 101. Also eligible: Lancelot 115, Toe the Mark 114.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Hidden Jewel 122 pounds, Ettahs 118, St. Ister 118, Murray 112, Repeater 112, Head Over Heels 112, *Anticipate 111, Lieut. Perkins 111, *Assume 110, Cheety 108, *Scurry 106, Oriental Park 102, Financial Booster 105. Also eligible: Link Boy 105, Tan II. 110, Ground Swell 118.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700; handicap, for two-year-olds; six furlongs. Polythia, 122 pounds, Bungs Buck 111, Madeline Lillian 100, Parader 106, Tharon 105.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000; The Pannareta Special Weights; for all ages; five furlongs. Eddie Rickenbacker 114 pounds, George Starr 114, Applejack II. 114, Marvin May 97-86, Quentin 114, Minute Man 114, Rising Rock 100.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for two-year-olds and upward; one mile and three-sixteenths. War Club 110 pounds, *Kimpalong 108, *Baladin 106, *Dark Hill 103, *Rainer 103, *Honolulu Boy 103.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Goldcrest Boy 110 pounds, Bengali 116, *Paddy Dear 107, Handfut 107, Matwolis 107, *Philistine 106, Judge Price 105, Sandy Mac 104, *She Devil 102, *Mab 102, *Colonel Lit 96.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track good.

SYRACUSE DEFEATS YALE'S FLOOR TEAM

Blue Basketball Five Never Dangerous in Game With Orange—Final Score, 23 to 11.

Special to The New York Times.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Displaying the worst brand of basketball ever shown by a Yale University quintet in Syracuse, the Elis were sent to defeat by the score of 23 to 11 in the Archbold gymnasium tonight. More than 1,000 persons turned out for the contest.

Coach Dollard's orange-clad players put up a much better game than against Princeton last week. Yale was never dangerous. Only three goals from the field were tossed for Yale, one each by Ohle, Cooper and Alderman, Ohle's coming in the first half and the other two in the last period. The Orange rolled up eleven field baskets, six in the first half and one less in the last half. Lavin tossed one foul in the first half, which ended 13 to 3 in favor of the Orange.

The passwork of the Syracuse players baffled Al Sharpe's men, and the local team guarded so closely that the three baskets made by Yale were made from close to the foul lines.

The contest was very free from fouls, Yale committing but four fouls while seven were called on the Syracuseans. Lavin made one of the free tosses and Alderman made five out of his seven attempts.

The Syracuse five was the same that faced Princeton, with the exception of Taylor in place of Gallivan. Taylor's floor work and guarding were excellent, and he seems assured of a permanent berth on his showing tonight. Conlin led in the foul shooting with four field goals, followed by Parker with three and Conlin and Lavin two each.

Alderman was the only Yale man who looked like a big college player in the Blue ranks.

The summary:

SYRACUSE (23).		YALE (11).
Taylor	L.F.	Bailey
Weltman	R.F.	Alderman
Conlin	C.	Ohle
Parker	L.G.	Flynn
Lavin	R.G.	Cooper

Goals from field—Conklin (4), Parker (3), Lavin (2), Weltman (2), Alderman, Ohle, Cooper. Goals from fouls—Lavin, Alderman (5).

Substitutions—Syracuse: Fisher for Lavin, Gallivan for Taylor, Bibbens for Parker; Yale: Conklin for Ohle.

Referee—G. M. Messer. Umpire—Paul Steinberg. Time of periods—Twenty minutes.

CRESCENT A. C. FIVE WINS.

Brooklyn Basketball Team Defeats Drexel Institute, 41 to 17.

The Crescent A. C. basketball quintet added another victory to its list last night in the New Moon gymnasium in Brooklyn. The Drexel Institute of Philadelphia was the victim in the latest Brooklyn club triumph. The Philadelphians journeyed over from the Quaker City only to supply the short end of a score of 41 to 17.

Superior teamwork, a snappy and varied offensive which was sustained throughout the contest, and the speed with which the Brooklynites executed their plays brought about the downfall of the Philadelphia quintet. From start to finish of the game the Drexel team was outplayed and the result was that the New Moon wearers advanced to an early lead which steadily increased as the game progressed. Through the first half the Brooklynites just doubled the score of the opposition. The whistle found the New Mooners in front by the margin of 18 to 4. In the second half the Crescent play took on renewed brilliance and its effectiveness increased proportionately. Goals were registered from difficult angles and with overwhelming rapidity in a well-balanced offensive for which the Philadelphians had no successful defense.

Nicklas, Peck and Kinney were the outstanding figures in the Crescent triumph. These three players accounted for twenty-eight of the New Moon points. Nicklas and Peck each tallied five field goals and Kinney contributed four. A number of successful shots from difficult angles were included in this collection of baskets. Sidwell shouldered the scoring burden for Drexel Institute, caging three field goals and two from foul line.

The lineup:

CRESCENT (41).		DREXEL INST. (17).
Stewart	L.F.	Weinburger
Nickias	R.F.	Mansfield
Ashmead	C.	Sidwell
Peck	R.G.	Radcliff
Griffin	L.G.	Connell

Field goals—Stewart, Nickias (5), Ashmead (2), Peck (5), Griffin (2), Kinney (4). Heath, Weinburger, Mansfield, Radcliff, Sidwell (2). Goals from foul—Stewart, Mansfield, Tannenbaum for Connell.

Substitutions—Crescent A. C.: Simms for Stewart, Heath for Nicklas, Kinney for Griffin; Drexel Institute: Matir for Mansfield, Tannenbaum for Connell.

Referee—Tom Thorp, Columbia University. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

SCHOOL FIVE BEATS ALUMNI.

Ethical Culture Basketball Team Wins by Score of 41 to 21.

Ethical Culture School's basketball team defeated the alumni team of the same organization yesterday by a score of 41 to 21 in a fast game. Chief star of the alumni quintet was William Kurtz, now playing on the Stevens Institute team. The Ethical School players showed clever individual and team work despite the absence of Captain Bregman, who had sprained his ankle during the progress of the game with Barnard. The guarding of Fry and Daniel was excellent while the shooting of Kaufman and Sied was accurate. The alumni team was handicapped as a result of never having played together before. Kurtz did excellent work for the alumni, scoring six field goals and three from foul. Peck also played a good game.

The line-up:

ETHICAL (41).		ALUMNI (21).
Sied	R.F.	Peck
Blumenthal	L.F.	Kopeloff
Kaufmann	C.	Kurtz
Daniel	R.G.	Wasserman
Fry	L.G.	Rosenbaum

Field goals—Sied (5), Blumenthal (2), Kaufmann (12), Peck (2), Kurtz (6), Wolff. Goals from foul—Sied (2), Kaufmann, Kurtz (3).

Substitutions—Ethical: Bashwitz for Daniel; Alumni: Kinney for Wasserman, Silvers for Peck, Peck for Khaney, Wolff for Kopeloff.

Referee—M. Bregman, Alumni. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

BASKETBALL TEAM BUSY.

Columbia Coach to Give Squad Daily Practice During Vacation.

Coach Joe Deering yesterday started the Columbia basketball squad on its program of workouts during the Christmas holidays and had the entire varsity squad practicing on the floor of the main gymnasium. While the other university teams rest during the vacation period, Deering intends to keep the floor squad busy at morning practices, which will be held every day until the opening of school again on Jan. 5, when he will return to the usual afternoon schedule of drills.

Columbia's first league contest will not come until Jan. 10, five days after the resumption of the school term. The curtain raiser will be with Princeton on the Tigers' floor. On Jan. 15 Deering's quintet will journey to Philadelphia for a game with the championship Penn team. These two contests, which will be Columbia's only league tests during the month, will bring the team up against its two leading rivals for the league championship and will probably be the hardest games that the Blue and White will encounter this Winter. Coach Deering is aiming to bring the team along without a letup during the Christmas holidays in order to be completely ready for the first two games. The former City College coach figures that a good start against such difficult opposition would be half the battle for Columbia.

The first home league game for the Morningside five will not come until Feb. 12, when Yale will be the attraction in the university gymnasium. Following this will be a return engagement with Penn in New York and thereafter the schedule will alternate fairly evenly between home contests and games on foreign courts.

CORNELL INCREASES ITS LEAD IN CHESS

Ithacans Defeat N. Y. U. and Pennsylvania Teams in Triangular League.

Cornell's chess quartet, by winning two more matches in the third and fourth rounds of the twenty-second annual tournament of the Triangular College Chess League, at the rooms of the Manhattan Chess Club yesterday, thereby getting three victories in succession without a setback, established a commanding lead in the race for the honors of the organization, which has grown from the original three to a membership of five. The Ithacans first defeated New York University by 2½ to 1½, the same figures by which they had disposed of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology the day before, and then worsted Pennsylvania to the tune of 2½ to ½, allowing the Quakers but a single draw on the second board.

This gave Cornell a total number of 8½ points out of a possible 12, 4 better than either City College or New York University and 2½ better than the total credited to the M. I. T. team. Pennsylvania is out of the running for this year, for the Philadelphians played their fourth and last match yesterday, having a bye in the fifth round today, and finished with a record of 6½ to 9½. Besides the match with Cornell, Pennsylvania won from City College by 3 to 1. City College made partial amends by winning against M. I. T. by 2½ to 1½. New York University, after losing to Cornell, had a bye in the fourth round.

H. Adelsberg scored twice for the Cornell team yesterday, while H. Garfinkel and N. N. Gotthoffer contributed 1½ points each. L. H. Campbell won against Pennsylvania, but lost his game in the New York University match. City College and New York University have each won one match, lost one and drawn one. Pennsylvania won one match, lost two and drew one, while the Massachusetts Institute of Technology won one and lost two.

The summaries of yesterday's rounds follow:

Bds.	CORNELL.		N. Y. UNIVERSITY.
1—H.	Adelsberg	1	A. A. Cohen 0
2—H.	Garfinkel	1	L. Denoan 0
3—L.	H. Campbell	0	J. Zatulove 1
4—N.	N. Gotthoffer	½	D. Bourgin ½
Total		2½	Total 1½

N. Y. U. played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, French defense; 2, Giuoco Piano; 3, Ruy Lopez; 4, Ruy Lopez.

Bds.	PENN.		CITY COLLEGE.
1—S.	Fraser	1	A. Weisbord 0
2—B.	L. Rosenberg	1	H. Sternberg 0
3—F.	G. Palacio	½	H. Grossman ½
4—H.	Everding	½	H. Slochower ½
Total		3	Total 1

Pennsylvania played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, Ruy Lopez; 2, Ruy Lopez; 3, French defense; 4, Giuoco Piano.

Bds.	CORNELL.		PENN.
1—H.	Adelsberg	1	R. S. Fraser 0
2—H.	Garfinkel	½	B. L. Rosenberg ½
3—L.	H. Campbell	1	F. G. Palacio 0
4—N.	N. Gotthoffer	1	H. L. Cooper 0
Total		2½	Total 1½

Cornell played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, Ruy Lopez; 2, Giuoco Piano; 3, Scotch gambit; 4, Giuoco Piano.

Bds.	CITY COLLEGE.		M. I. T.
1—A.	Weisbord	1	R. F. Lyon 0
2—H.	Sternberg	0	S. Nelson 1
3—H.	Grossman	½	C. Thumlin ½
4—H.	Slochower	1	J. Brimberg 0
Total		2½	Total 1½

M. I. T. played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, forfaited; 2, French defense; 3, Vienna; 4, French defense.

The standing to date follows.

	Matches.		Games.	
	W.	L.	W.	L.
Cornell	3	0	8½	3½
City College	1½	1½	5½	6½
Pennsylvania	1½	2½	6½	9½
M. I. T.	1	2	6	8
N. Y. University	1	2	5½	6½

In the fifth and final round, to be played at the Manhattan Chess Club this morning, the pairing will be: City College vs. Cornell and M. I. T. vs. New York University. Pennsylvania a bye.

PLAY DRAWN CHESS MATCH.

Harvard and Columbia Score 2 Points Each In Tourney Game.

Columbia, Harvard, Yale and Princeton began play in the twenty-eighth annual tournament of the "C. H. Y. P." Chess League at the Manhattan Chess Club yesterday afternoon, when the champion Columbia team had to meet Harvard, while Yale and Princeton had it out on the four remaining boards. The Crimson team surprised the talent by playing a drawn match with the Blue and White, each side scoring two points.

The sensation of the day was furnished by K. O. Mott-Smith, the Harvard captain, who headed the Cambridge quartet. Opposed to him was Morris Schapiro, who recently lost a clock game to Samuel Rzeschewski, but who nevertheless leads in the annual championship tournament of the Manhattan Chess Club in a field of thirteen. Mott-Smith, in a King's Bishop's opening, succeeded in outmanoeuvring the New Yorker, and finally broke through on the King's side, winning after twenty-eight moves. F. Wolfson placed his game in the Columbia column, while O. Frink Jr. and F. Worden drew against H. H. Jackson and J. H. Hoeck, respectively.

Princeton started off with flying colors by defeating Yale by the score of 2½–1½, thanks largely to victories by C. T. Smith and P. S. Olmstead. In addition, S. E. Hall, at the top board, drew against T. H. Banks. A. Strout won for Yale.

C. B. Isaacson, originally picked for the Columbia team, withdrew in favor of F. Worden, who is in his last year at college.

The summaries:

Bds.	COLUMBIA.		HARVARD.
1.	M. A. Schapiro	0	K. S. Mott-Smith 1
2.	O. Frink Jr.	½	H. H. Jackson ½
3.	F. Wolfson	1	A. King 0
4.	F. Worden	½	J. H. Hoeck ½
Total		2	Total 2

Harvard played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, King's Bishop's; 2, French defense; 3, Ruy Lopez; 4, Panisani.

Bds.	PRINCETON.		YALE.
1.	S. E. Hall	½	T. H. Banks ½
2.	C. T. Smith	1	F. T. Palmer 0
3.	C. E. Koetter	0	A. Strout 1
4.	P. S. Olmstead	1	H. C. Jackson 0
Total		2½	Total 1½

Yale played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, Petroff defense; 2, Queen's gambit declined; 3, French defense; 4, Two Knights defense.

In the second round this afternoon Columbia will play against Yale and Harvard against Princeton.

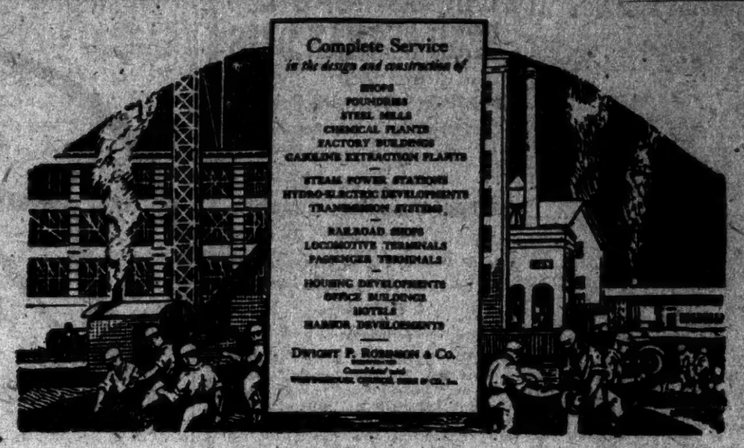
CHESS PRODIGY WINNER.

Rzeschewski Defeats Three Opponents in Half-Hour Exhibition.

After a prolonged rest, Samuel Rzechewski, Poland's chess prodigy, was again called upon for an exhibition of his skill last night before 100 guests, including Judge Otto Rosalsky, at the residence of Arthur M. Lamport, 590 West End Avenue. In the course of half an hour the child master, without being extended, disposed of three opponents—Alfred A. Link and Charles Spiechandler of the Manhattan Chess Club and Dr. S. A. Blan, former secretary to Mayor Mitchel and one of the leading players on Staten Island. Next he played a blindfold game against A. Landau of the Manhattan Chess Club. The boy declined a draw offered after twenty-five moves, but after some analysis was prevailed upon to accept. His third feat was to solve in a minute and a half a four-move problem, which it has taken many experts ten minutes to unravel.

Have $100,000 for Athletics.

MEADVILLE, Pa., Dec. 28.—The trustees of Allegheny College have decided to set aside $100,000 of the Century Endowment for physical education. Athletic leaders said today that with the $100,000 the college should be able to develop its athletic program to such an extent that Allegheny would in time, be in the front ranks.



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LOST—Brief case, tan cowhide, containing first volume of H. G. Wells's outline of history and other papers; probably lost in taxicab. Finder please return to Apt. 10, 49 West 9th St., or Room 2004, 5 Nassau St., and receive reward.

LOST—Tuesday, west side of Broadway, between 72d and 91st Sts., piece of linen and two stripe of lace; return to Freda Smith, 270 West End Av., Apartment, 4th floor south.

LOST—Tan suitcase containing male apparel on Parkside Av., Brooklyn, 6 P. M. Sunday, Dec. 26; liberal reward. Return Lott, 1,066 41st St., Brooklyn. Sunset 4181.

LOST—The taxi driver who drove away with black handbag at 276 Throop Av., Brooklyn, will receive liberal reward if he returns same to Vera Gordon at above address.

LOST—Silver looped-handle umbrella, brown and white taxi, between 42d St. and 5th Av. and Sherry's, Dec. 27, at 2 P. M.; reward. M. H. Jones, 150 Broadway.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, 125th St. or subway, black velvet hand bag, containing money and keys on ring; reward if returned to 6 West 124th St.

LOST—Lyceum Theatre or Republic Restaurant, Dec. 25, mesh bag, engraved Leah, pen, $35; return pen and bag, can keep cash. Phone University 9086.

LOST—Package containing Liberty bonds and insurance papers in telephone booth, Hudson Terminal building; liberal reward. M. Serge, 125 Mercer St., Jersey City.

LOST—Sunday night, between 140th and 149th Sts., Broadway, black satin steel-beaded bag; contained eyeglasses, silver pencil. E. D. P., 545 West 150th St.

LOST—In Sake's, pocketbook containing gold wrist watch, initials A. K. C.; personal papers, money; liberal reward. W 85 Times.

LOST—Black wallet containing important papers, on subway between 72d and Wall Sts.; liberal reward. 120 Broadway, Suite 2230.

LOST—Sunday, silver mesh bag containing money, inscribed Beatrice L. Salsman, between 112th and 155th; reward. Bryant 4425.

LOST—Christmas Day, black handbag, Columbus Circle and 59th St.; reward. W 94 Times.

LOST—Black pocketbook, Tuesday, 6 P. M., Times Square or Broadway subway; liberal reward. C 433 Times.

REWARD $500—Lost black pocketbook, containing $4,900 bill of sale, Lorber's restaurant, evening Dec. 25; no questions asked. J. E. J., telephone 7402 Madison Square.

LIBERAL REWARD, no questions asked, for return of silver initialed S, taken from 345 West 42d St., Dec. 18. A 962 Times Downtown.

Jewelry.

LOST — Diamond-onyx lady's pin, oval shaped, about 2 inches long, Sunday noon, somewhere between 90th St. and Broadway and the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, 91st and Broadway; liberal reward. 210 West 90th St., Apartment 2B.

LOST—Platinum bar pin, one large and a number of small diamonds, Sunday evening, between 72d St. station L. R. T. and Apt. 44, 371 Wadsworth Av.; liberal reward. Mrs. E. D. Warner, above address. Wadsworth 8355.

LOST—On Interborough subway, between 137th and 72d Sts., lady's gold wrist watch, initials R. W.; liberal reward. A. Westerman, 7,106 10th Av., Brooklyn. 7244 Bensonhurst.

LOST—Christmas night, gold Delta Upsilon pin, pearls and diamonds, name on back; valued sentiment. Liberal reward if returned to R. P. Nichols, 1001, 31 West 43d.

LOST—Vanity case, Monday evening, between 87th St. and Hotel Plaza, in taxi, initials E. N. G., silver with gold stripes; reward. Geoghegan, 204 West 106th.

LOST—$25 reward; open-faced monogramed Howard watch, Christmas Eve, vicinity 140th St.-3d Av. Phone Carroll. Hanover 7120.

LOST—Gold mesh bag, in front of 21 West 58th St., about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. Liberal reward if returned to 21 West 88th.

LOST—Monday, gentleman's Waltham gold watch, name Carl Sandtlow, on dial; liberal reward. Apply 117 Madison Av.

LOST—Lady's silver wrist watch, initials C. B. W. on back; left in taxicab; liberal reward. Notify Wilton, 101 West 80th St.

LOST—Gold mesh, Christmas morning, Barclay St. Ferry or Lackawanna, R. R.; suitable reward. Telephone Gramercy 100.

LOST—Keepsake gold bracelet, 6 small diamonds, 19 small pearls; liberal reward. Jane Barnits, 18 Broad St. Rector 9350.

LOST—A gold cuff button, Tuesday evening, in theatrical district; reward. A. J. Kramer, 55 Liberty St. Rector 5464.

LOST—On Sunday, at Carnegie Hall, lady's wrist watch, present from mother. If found call 9618 Columbus. Pollock. Reward.

LOST—Diamond-sapphire bracelet at Hotel Biltmore on 19th; $90 reward; communicate Toplis & Hardin, 522 Fifth Av.

LOST—Wrist watch, Waltham, Monday evening, subway; reward. Galt, 508 West 121st.

LOST—Sunday, seal ring, inscription R. E. S.; inscription on back, H. B. to R. E. S.; reward. Stiner, 95 Madison Av.

LOST—Pearl necklace, Monday evening, 5:30, vicinity 5th Av. and 42d St.; reward. 8th floor, 516 5th Av.

LOST—Platinum bar pin, with one diamond and six pearls; suitable reward. Phone Columbus 1976.

LOST—Canadian military button, rhinestone setting. Please address 732 Tribune Building. Cameron.

LOST—Ribbon fob, with gold buckle; reward. Kahn, Room 2212, 190 Broadway.

$250 REWARD

for return of brooch with pearl in centre and large diamond at each end with small diamonds in setting; lost Dec. 17, at or between West 37th St., Cohan Theatre and Colony Club. Marcus & Co., 5th Av. and 45th St.

$75 REWARD

for return of gold bar pin containing 4 diamonds and 4 sapphires; lost December 20, between Wall St., N. Y. C. and St. Johns Place, Brooklyn. L. H. and B. H. Weibberg, 665 5th Av., N. Y.

$100 REWARD

for return of ring containing 1 canary and brown diamond, with small diamonds in setting; lost December 6, vicinity of West 234 St., A. R. Lee & Co., Inc., 15 William St.

$200 REWARD

for return of platinum and diamond bar pin, containing about 14 diamonds, lost Dec. 13 in 5th Av. shopping district. Black, Starr & Frost, 5th Av. and 48th St.

Wearing Apparel.

LOST—Dec. 27, a sable stole on Pittsfield afternoon express N. Y., N. H. & H. road, car 72, compartment A. Reward and no questions if returned to 995 Madison Av., apartment first floor, north.

LOST—Child's muskrat neckpiece, on or from 5th Av. bus, vicinity Washington Square; reward. O'Dea, 11 West 10th.

LOST—In taxi, Christmas Eve, black lynx muff; $15 reward. Lanier, 142 East 19th.

Cats and Dogs.

LOST—On Tuesday morning female Boston terrier, brindle white markings, green collar; name Skindles; reward. Watts, 612 West 114th. Telephone Cathedral 6205.

LOST—Black French bulldog, male, vicinity 65th St. and Columbus Av.; reward, no questions asked. Remey, 127 Columbus Av.

$100 REWARD.

Lost—Black French bulldog, male, vicinity 65th St. and Columbus Av.; no questions asked. Remey, 127 Columbus Av. Telephone 2179 Columbus.

$100 REWARD

for the return of French bull puppy, male, brindle, white spot on breast, lost Thursday; had harness blanket, collar. Ryan, 720 Riverside Drive. Audubon 7370.

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The New York Times:

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W. A. Ansley.

FEAR BRITAIN WILL SEND GERMAN DYES

Government Chemists Point to a Loophole in the Act Just Passed in London.

BRITISH INDUSTRY GUARDED

Use of Poison Gas in Warfare Also Involved in Protection of the Industry.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—By the passage of the Dyestuffs Import Regulations act Great Britain has definitely accepted the theory that poison gas will be the supreme weapon of the next war, and at the same time has opened the way for the entry of German dyes into this country, according to the views expressed tonight by chemical experts of the Government.

The British act, which became a law yesterday, prohibits the importation of dyestuffs into Great Britain for ten years, which, Government experts declared, will enable England to build up her dye industry to a point of complete independence from the outside world.

Poison gas and dyestuffs both come from coal tar, it was explained, and from the manufacture of the commercial article to the production of the military weapon is but another step in a continuous process. By insuring the development of the dye industry, chemical experts here said, Great Britain had laid the foundation for possible widespread use of gas in warfare, as chemical factories can turn from the manufacture of dyestuffs to the production of poison gas practically at will.

Direct competition in this country between German and American made dyes also is seen by officials here as a result of the British dyestuffs act. While the act prohibits the importation of dye products into the United Kingdom, the restriction does not apply to goods imported for exportation after transit through the United Kingdom or by way of transshipment. Under the present War Trade Board regulations, officials explained, dyes may not be imported into this country when it can be shown they are of German origin, but it would be practically impossible, they added, to determine the origin of goods shipped by way of England if the casings were changed before consignment to this country.

An influx of German dyes would probably mean, officials frankly stated, that the development of the American industry would be hindered, and consequently the United States would fall behind the other nations in ability to produce poison gas in the event of a war.

President-elect Harding, in a letter in the December number of The Journal of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry, expresses interest in the work of the Exposition of Chemical Industries, and adds:

"The war taught us what we needed to make us truly a self-sustaining, independent nation, and much will depend upon the success of our chemical engineers and producers to remedy the deficiencies which then became more impressibly apparent."

END ELECTION CANVASS IN MANHATTAN-BRONX

Republican Electors Got 274,299 Votes in New York County, Democrats 135,175.

Official canvass of the vote cast in New York County (Manhattan) in the election this year, shows that the Republican Electors for President and Vice President received 274,299 votes, the Democratic Electors 135,175, and those of the Socialist Party 46,045. The vote for Electors of the minor parties was: Prohibition, 463; Socialist Labor, 567; Farmer-Labor Party, 7,077.

In Bronx County the vote for Presidential Electors was: Republican, 106,035; Democratic, 45,456; Socialist, 32,582; Prohibition, 211; Socialist Labor, 450; Farmer-Labor, 1,946. Included are 55 soldier votes cast for the Republican and 29 for the Democratic Electors.

For Governor the vote stood:

New York—Republican, 136,434; Democratic, 268,177; Socialist, 34,220; Prohibition, 1,115; Farmer-Labor Party, 19,848.

Bronx—Republican, 43,390; Democratic, 105,301; Socialist, 25,585; Prohibition, 540; Socialist Labor, 405; Farmer-Labor Party, 10,100.

The vote for United States Senator follows:

New York—Republican, 197,733; Democratic, 171,286; Socialist, 30,884; Prohibition, 4,436; Socialist Labor, 804; Farmer-Labor Party, 10,001.

Bronx—Republican, 70,212; Democratic, 63,552; Socialist, 28,641; Prohibition, 1,224; Socialist Labor, 561; Farmer-Labor Party, 3,194.

For Justices of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District, composed of New York and Bronx Counties, the following vote was cast:

	New York.	Bronx.	Total.
FUSION.			
Leonard A. Giegerich	323,962	118,856	442,841
Charles L. Guy	321,518	117,315	438,733
John Ford	319,775	118,235	438,010
Mitchell L. Stranger	315,686	115,438	429,533
M. Warley Platzek	310,440	110,567	421,007
DEMOCRATIC.			
William P. Burr	194,365	79,560	273,925
Francis Martin	188,371	82,158	270,529
Edw. J. McGoldrick	186,770	72,963	259,733
Edward Swan	183,850	75,159	259,009
REPUBLICAN.			
James O'Malley	202,977	69,100	272,077
Isidor Wasservogel	196,292	67,016	263,310
Henry K. Davis	186,690	69,706	256,396
Robert McC. Marsh	179,562	59,699	239,261

The winning candidates were the five Fusion men, Burr and Martin, Democrats, and O'Malley and Wasservogel, Republicans. There is talk of recount proceedings on behalf of McGoldrick, but it is not likely that a decision in the matter will be reached until after Jan. 1.

Three scattering votes were cast for Charley Chaplin for Governor. Two dead men, Jack London, the author, and John Reed, a communist writer, who died in Moscow last September, received one vote each. Jack London for State Engineer and Reed for United States Senator. Jim Larkin, a radical now in jail, received one vote for Justice of the Supreme Court, and one for Lieutenant Governor. J. P. Morgan got a vote for State Controller, John D. Rockefeller one for State Treasurer, Charles Ponzi, the Boston get-rich-quick man now in prison, received one vote for that office, too.

WANT $115,000,000 MORE.

Baker, Burleson and Houston Ask for Deficiency Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Deficiency appropriations aggregating $115,000,000 were asked of Congress today by three executive departments.

Secretary Baker estimated that the War Department would need an additional $76,000,000 before July 1 for the pay and subsistence of officers and men of the army and $632,000 for the upkeep of the Military Academy.

Postmaster General Burleson asked for an additional $35,954,700 for the transportation of the mails, and the Treasury Department asked for an additional $2,241,000 for the Coast Guard service.

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487 Overcoats were $50
321 Overcoats were $55
593 Overcoats were $60

754 Suits were $65
533 Suits were $75
201 Suits were $85

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HOISTING MEN TO DISBAND

Fifth Trade Combination to Agree to Dissolve—Terra Cotta Association Under Fire.

The most elaborate system for comparing prices operated by any of the trade associations under fire by the Lockwood committee was uncovered yesterday by Samuel Untermyer, its counsel, when he delved into the affairs of the Portland Cement Association, the national organization in the cement business, and three regional associations.

Records obtained from cement manufacturers indicating uniformity in the prices and fluctuations of cement in all parts of the country were placed in evidence. An accurate and detailed system of reports made daily, weekly, monthly and quarterly, and which tended to show that prices were kept up by restricting production, was shown by Mr. Untermyer.

The Cement Manufacturers' Protective Association, with nineteen members doing a business of 28,000,000 barrels in the Eastern district, out of 96,000,000 barrels manufactured in the United States, had its members send it reports on twenty-eight different forms, and this information was exchanged with the Southern and mid-West regional associations.

The cement manufacturers refused to sell for future delivery. Witnesses testified that when cement was sold by manufacturers to dealers on contract the latter could obtain no guidance as to the quantity than was actually needed on the specific jobs mentioned. This was done, a witness said, "so that a dealer might not have any cement to speculate with," but he was unable to explain what difference it made to him if the cement was paid for by the dealer. Mr. Untermyer saw in this system the deliberate restriction of output and the keeping up of prices.

Witnesses Threatened.

Before the day was over two cement men were threatened with indictment if they refused to produce records desired by the committee. They were C. Raymond Hulsart, Vice President of the Cement Manufacturers' Protective Association, and Gabriel S. Brown, President of the Alpha Portland Cement Company. Brown and a group of other out-of-town cement manufacturers were subpoenaed two weeks ago while attending a convention of the Portland Cement Association at the Hotel Biltmore.

It was brought out that the National Association had a large income. One item, dues for the last year, amounted to $1,465,000. About $1,500,000 was spent "to promote the use of cement." It was also shown that the basic mill price of cement has increased from $2.65 on Jan. 1, 1920, to $4.60 in October in the certain thirty days prices have declined 20 cents a barrel.

Sales to dealers on specific contracts were closely watched by the manufacturers, whose association had agents charged with the duty of visiting construction jobs and filing information for the use of the manufacturers so that every barrel of cement sold in the country might be accounted for. Uniformity of price was explained as "a truly economic process."

The hearing opened with the announcement of J. E. Eustis, Secretary-Treasurer of the Hoisting Association of Contractors, affiliated with the Building Trades Employers' Association, that the entire organization would dissolve and sever its connection with the parent body. This is the fifth trade association affiliated with the Building Trades Employers' Association that has signified its intention of dissolving. The Hoisting Association's members do 95 per cent. of the steam and electric hoisting in the city.

System of Terra Cotta Men.

The conclusion of a busy day for the committee saw the exposure of the workings of the National Terra Cotta Society and the Eastern Terra Cotta Association and the card system their members maintained for exchanging information on contracts, under the guise of an "open-price system." As soon as a bidder made an estimate for a contract the information was sent to the association in which he was a member, and the other members were promptly notified.

Mr. Untermyer's examination of the cement manufacturers occupied most of the session. Hulsart maintained that he knew little if anything about the cement business, although he is the $6,000 a year Vice President of the Cement Manufacturers' Protective Association, whose nineteen members are in the eastern district of the United States. Hulsart was on the stand most of the morning, and after he was through Mr. Untermyer informed him that he would have to answer the questions or take his chances of indictment.

Hulsart, on the stand, said that his association exchanged information with the Southern Statistical Bureau and the Mid-West Statistical Bureau, the two other regional associations. He admitted that one of his organization's elaborate forms was a book of 150 pages of written matter, which contained a description of every contract made by a member. This report was made quarterly. Daily reports made by members were sent to other members, he said.

The association had six members, he said, whose duty it was to visit works under construction in order that the dealer selling cement to the contractor on the work would not place an order for more cement than was required on the job. If the inspector thought the dealer had put in an order for more than he thought necessary for the work the manufacturer would cancel the balance.

Price the Same in Forty-five Contracts.

In forty-five contracts, ranging from 250 barrels to 28,000 barrels, from different manufacturers, every sale was at the rate of $4.60 a barrel, according to evidence placed in the record from the books of the association. It was then that Hulsart explained this was a "truly economic process."

The largest individual cement manufacturer on the stand was John R. Morrin, President of the Atlas Portland Cement Company, which has a capacity of 15,000,000 barrels a year and had an output of 9,000,000 to 10,000,000 barrels in 1919. This year, it was stated, the output would be a million above these figures.

Mr. Morrin, a member of the Executive Committee of the Portland Cement Association, is also a member of the protective association. He was shown a record of the mill and the price for cement prevailing in the year, ranging from $1.70 on April 2, 1919, to $3.50 in July, 1920, without figuring on the bags, on which there is a rebate of 25 cents. He was asked why the other companies had the same prices and who set the pace. All the witness knew, he said, was that a uniform price was fixed because of the request of the Government, but Mr. Untermyer asserted that uniform prices existed after the Government stopped dealing with the cement men.

Morrin maintained that prices of cement were uniform and would remain so as it was a standard commodity. Mr. Untermyer asked him, assuming this to be true, why the elaborate reporting system was required. It was "quite obvious," the witness said. The benefit to his company was two-fold. For one thing a salesman might report to him that another company was selling cement cheaper. The statistical reports enabled him to check up the salesman's report.

Limiting Supplies to Customers.

Mr. Untermyer read one of the contracts which showed that a purchaser agreed to buy only enough cement to fill his requirements on each contract. He asked the witness to explain that "until the cows come home." Morrin said it would not take that long. He said he did not want to allow a man to be loaded up with stuff that he did not buy for a specific purpose and that we do not calculate to let him have it.

"You are worrying for your customers?" Mr. Untermyer asked. "Yes," the witness said.

Q.—So your explanation is, the reason you would not let him have any of the cement he has over to use for any other purpose, or to sell to any other party, is that you really want to sort of wet-nurse your customers? A.—No, we want to wet-nurse our own company.

Q.—How do you wet-nurse your own company? A.—By not letting the man buy cement and use it to make the difference in speculation.

Q.—You call it speculation if a man buys cement of you and makes money on it? A.—More than he can use on his job.

Q.—You arrogate to yourself the right to determine what he shall do with the cement he buys from you? A.—We do not, no.

Q.—You do on this contract. A.—We have nothing to do with what price he sells it at.

Q.—But you do on the right to anybody else on any other job? A.—He cannot.

Q.—Why? A.—For the reason I have stated.

Q.—Is that your best reason? A.—It is a good enough reason.

Q.—For you? A.—And everybody.

Q.—You will find yourself mistaken. A.—No.

Mr. Untermyer asked the witness if he desired to add anything to his explanation of why a man who was able to buy cement had to agree that the contract could be terminated if the cement was used for other work than specified for in the contract.

"The man agrees to it," was the laconic response of the witness.

Calls It "Sound Business."

"The law has a little to say once in a while," interjected Mr. Untermyer.

"Not on that," said Morrin. He added that the arrangement was also "sound business."

He was asked why it was not proper to have shoe manufacturers make the same arrangement with their goods. He admitted after much questioning that it would not be proper to do the same thing on shoes.

Examining the witness on the financial aspects of the national cement organization, it was brought out that the operating budget, the amount of the organization for the year ended Oct. 31, 1920, showed $925,373.

The witness thought a $20,000 "investment" on the books was a U. S. Treasury certificate. The association's expenses were $670,444. He was asked where two items of $49,414 and $35,387 went, and he replied it was paid to engineers to "chaperon the work." He meant to superintend the building of roads. He said the $1,500,000 was spent annually to promote the use of cement and promised to produce an accounting for each dollar spent.

Morrin said Treasurer Kelly had the information. Mr. Untermyer called on Kelly to stand. Kelly, acting in the capacity of the room, handed Mr. Untermyer asked him to produce the books. He hesitated, stammered and said they were in Chicago, and Mr. Morrin, from the witness stand, ordered Kelly to telegraph for the books.

Gabriel S. Brown of Easton, Pa., President of the Alpha Portland Cement Company, testified his company sold about 6,000,000 barrels of cement annually. He was asked concerning his profit and loss account and other financial items and replied that his papers were out of the State. When asked to produce them he said he would consult his lawyer, Mr. Porter. The attorney was sitting beside him, and Mr. Untermyer asked whether he objected to having his client produce the papers. Porter said he had no objection to Mr. Brown producing anything that was in the State. The crowd laughed.

Mr. Porter and the witness had a conference with Mr. Untermyer. Brown said he could not produce the accounts this morning. "You will have to bring it or go to jail," said Mr. Untermyer.

"You can't do that," said Attorney Porter in alarm.

"We have indicted six men for just that," the examiner assured him.

Lawyer and client left promising to bring the papers today.

Francis Cooper, Vice President of the Alpha Portland Cement Company, one of the group termed by Mr. Untermyer "The Big Five" consisting of the Atlas, Lehigh, Vulcanite, Universal and Alpha, was called. He admitted prices for cement today were nearly four times what they were in 1919.

Frank H. Smith, sales manager of the Lawrence Portland Cement Company, testified that not more than forty-eight hours elapsed from the time one company advanced prices before the others followed.

Exchange of Information on Bids.

The last witness, William H. Powell, President of the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company, former President of the National Terra Cotta Society and present head of the Eastern Terra Cotta Association, was examined concerning the arrangement for exchanging information on bids used by the members.

Leonard Wallstein, associate counsel, read from the minutes of meetings of the Eastern association, held in 1918, showing that by a system of three cards labelled "A, B and C, the members were required to notify the association of bids made and the facts were furnished to all the other members.

The committee will continue its hearings this morning at 10:30.

NOT GUILTY, PLUMBERS SAY.

Pleas Entered for 82 in the "Hettrick Group."

The twenty-nine individuals and twenty-three corporations of the so-called "Hettrick group" of plumbers, who were indicted last week for violation of the Donnally Anti-Monopoly act, pleaded not guilty through their counsel yesterday in the Criminal Term of the Supreme Court. John T. Hettrick, who was indicted with the plumbers, appeared in person and also pleaded not guilty.

Robert J. Foster, chief investigator for the National Erectors' Association, who was indicted on two counts for refusing to testify before the Lockwood committee, pleaded not guilty.

Fall River Textile Workers Accept Wage Reductions

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 28.—The six textile unions of the American Federation of Textile Operatives at meetings tonight voted to accept the wage reduction of 22½ per cent. recently announced by the manufacturers, effective Jan. 5, 1921. The action of the unions affects approximately 35,000 employes in 110 cotton cloth and yarn mills in this city. James Tansey, President of the Fall River Textile Council, said that he had no comment to make tonight on the unions' action, but that he would make a statement tomorrow.

The unions of the loom fixers and the slasher tenders voted unanimously to accept the reduction and the Carders' and Weavers' unions accepted under protest. The Spinners' Union indicated that its members thought the reduction too great. The Yarn Finishers' Union accepted by a close vote.

SOVIET MENACES THE BALTIC STATES

Reds' Operations in the Caucasus Region Are Also Being Greatly Strengthened.

GEORGIA BELIEVED DOOMED

Fourteenth Red Army Reaches Baku to Relieve Tenth Army, Which Is Going to Persia.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The Bolsheviki are greatly strengthening their operations in the Caucasus region and are menacing the new Baltic States, it is indicated in a dispatch received here today from diplomatic sources.

The message points out that the Armenian Government is unable to deal with the Bolsheviki, having on one hand the Turkish Nationalists and on the other the accepted Soviet regime. That Government, however, has refused the Bolshevist demand that Soviet troops massed on the frontier be allowed to penetrate the country as a condition to participation in the peace negotiations now in progress at Alexandrovsk between the Armenians and Turks.

Georgia is said also to be in a precarious situation, surrounded by Bolsheviki on all sides. Competent authorities forecast that the entire Caucasus will become Soviet shortly. The greatest resistance is coming from the Mussulman Turks, and the Bolsheviki rae discussing the entire question of the Caucasus at Tiflis.

From Latvia comes the news of a concentration of Bolshevist forces, estimated at 60,000 men, on the Letvian frontier. Several companies are reported to have already reconnoitred inside the country.

The only hope held out for opposition to the spread of the Soviet regime in Armenia and the Caucasus is an indication from well-informed sources that an arrangement between Armenia and the Turks is likely to be followed by an insurrection against the Russians led by Mussulmans.

Georgia Still Defiant.

TIFLIS, Dec. 24 (Associated Press).—Energetic measures against persons suspected of being Bolshevist agents have been adopted by the Government of the Georgian Republic. The representative of Soviet Russia has been expelled from Kutais, north of Batum on the eastern shore of the Black Sea, while Socialist clubs have been raided, their members arrested and arms and documents seized.

A sharp note has been handed to M. Sheman, who represents the Moscow Government here, stating the administration of the republic has decided upon a ruthless war against plotters and will not tolerate Soviet machinations in this country.

Georgia, however, is completely surrounded by Bolshevist States, and it is expected it will be absorbed by the Soviet hurricance at any moment. Communist leaders here have received instructions to proceed to the city of Delijan, at the north end of the lake Gokcha, and there to establish a revolutionary committee. When this is accomplished, they have been directed to set up a Soviet regime and make an appeal for intervention by a Russian army concentrated along the eastern frontier. This plan was carried out successfully in Armenia.

Russian Bolshevist forces which have passed through Armenia toward the Georgian frontier consist of the entire Ninth Army, the Sixth Division of General Budenny's cavalry, the Eighth Infantry Division and four armored cars. In addition the Bolsheviki are reported to be concentrating important forces at Tuapse and Sochi, ports on the eastern shore of the Black Sea.

The Georgian Communist Party has adopted the following resolution, which has been sent to Commissary Staline at Baku for transmission to Moscow:

"The Menshevist Government, having lost the confidence of the masses, is unable to oppose serious resistance to the proletariat movement. It is necessary that Russian troops occupy Batum before the British take possession of the place, and the Communist Party considers it is time for a coup d'état with the assistance of the Russian Army, for the purpose of establishing a Soviet régime in Georgia."

Soviet Opinion Reported Divided.

Military experts believe it is with Moscow to decide whether the Soviet army will support a Bolshevist revolution. Nikolai Lenin is reported to favor avoiding interference in Georgia, but other notable figures in the Soviet Government declare that intervention here is essential to the security of Russia.

The Georgian army now numbers 50,000 men, but military experts express the belief that many of the men have been converted to Bolshevism, and would join the Soviet armies in a crisis. The army is reported to be fully equipped.

It is reported the Fourteenth Russian Soviet Army has arrived at Baku, where it will reliave the Tenth Soviet Army, which is on its way to Persia.

The Armenian Government has delivered a note to the administration of Georgia demanding that a plebiscite be held in the Province of Akhalkalaki, the population of which is 70 per cent. Armenian.

WARNS AMERICAN TRADERS.

Russian Chamber of Commerce Shows Flaw in Soviet Contracts.

The American-Russian Chamber of Commerce, which has offices in the Woolworth Building, issued the following statement yesterday:

"In connection with the question of trade with the Soviet Government, for which active propaganda is now being carried on in this country, we beg to call to your attention a decision of far-reaching importance that has just been rendered in the English courts by Justice Roche.

"The facts of the case were that timber belonging to a Russian firm was confiscated in 1918 by the Soviet Government. In August, this year, Krasin, the Soviet commercial agent in London, disposed of this timber by contract to an English firm. When part of the timber arrived in England the original owners laid claim to it, and now, by Justice Roche's judgment, the claim is sustained and the claimants declared to be the rightful owners.

"The practical effect of this judgment is to invalidate all such contracts made by the Soviet representative, or in his behalf, if it can be proved that the goods in question have been seized by the Soviet Government from their rightful owners or even if the produce from the soil from which the real owners have been expropriated is exported as Soviet property. The main point at issue in the case was that since the British Government had never recognized the Soviet Government no decree by the latter expropriating private property could be considered valid in England.

"This explains why Bolshevist agents are agitating so actively for recognition of the Soviet Government in order to legalise and validate the seizures and confiscations of private property and thereby enable them to realize on the same by sale to foreigners. In view of this decision the greatest caution should be observed in entering negotiations with Soviet agents seeking to purchase American goods in exchange for expropriated gold or other property."

Ford Motor Plant to Stay Shut Another Month; Lack of Orders Prevents Reopening on Jan. 3

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Dec. 28.—Notices were posted at the Ford Motor Company plant today stating that operations would not be resumed until Feb. 1.

The original intention was to reopen on Jan. 3, but, owing to lack of orders, it has been decided to remain closed for another month.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 28.—The Ludlow Manufacturing Associates today announced a wage reduction on time and piece work not to exceed 20 per cent., to take effect next Monday. About 3,000 employes are affected.

Wages of common laborers in this vicinity will be reduced from 67½ to 50 cents an hour Jan. 1, according to an announcement today by the Springfield Building Trades Association.

The new scale, agreed upon by both members and non-members of the association, affects about 2,000 men employed on building projects and represented in the Allied Building Trades Council.

AURORA, Ill., Dec. 28.—Orders were received today to lay off 25 per cent. of the employes of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy shops, effective Dec. 31. About 2,000 men are employed.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—The City Council will take up the exigency of more than 100,000 unemployed in Chicago at tomorrow's meeting under a resolution of Alderman Clayton Smith, calling on the Mayor to appoint a commission to consider the problem. Resumption of municipal construction work on a large scale and the opening of municipal lodging houses, Mr. Smith thinks, will prevent a crisis and keep crime at a minimum this winter.

GERMAN WOMAN FIRES FRENCH REDS

Frau Zetkin, Denied Entry to France, Startles Socialist Congress by Appearing.

SHE IS WILDLY CHEERED

Wires Cut and Doors Closed, So She Can Depart as Secretly as She Came.

TOURS, France, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—Clara Zetkin, member of the German Reichstag and of the Executive Committee of the Third Internationale, whose passport, it is alleged, the French refused to visé, came suddenly into the hall where the French Socialist Congress was in progress today, and the session became bedlam. M. Frossard, Secretary of the French Socialist Party, who was speaking for the Communists, was interrupted and the delegates escorted her to the platform.

Clara Zetkin is a white-haired woman of 60. She was attired in a simple brown dress and was cheered wildly.

"The French have forbidden me to come," she said to the delegates, "but like a good Communist, I came anyway."

The doors of the hall were locked and the telephone and telegraph wires disconnected and no one was allowed to leave the building. She then continued her speech, denouncing "the Scheidemanns, Noskes and Reynaudels of all nations." She also denounced the Moderates and all those seeking to form an Internationale in opposition to Moscow.

Urges Expulsion of Moderates.

"Split your party to achieve more precious unity," Frau Zetkin advised the congress. "I urge you to split from your party all social patriots and all vacillating Centrists, and form a single revolutionary force capable of discipline, vigorous action and the emancipation of the proletariat.

"The barbarians who destroyed the ancient cathedral at Rheims belong to the same class, kin and family as those who destroyed the ancient cathedral at Kiev," she cried, referring to the Polish warfare against Moscow which was carried on with Ukrainians.

Frau Zetkin arrived late in the afternoon and spoke for half an hour. She then left with a small escort of friends. No one else was allowed to leave for twenty minutes, to enable her to depart as secretly as she had come.

Her visit to the Congress was unexpected. It is believed she came by motor, and it is supposed that after leaving the hall she proceeded to the German frontier.

M. Frossard, who was eclipsed by the Moscow emissary, followed the arguments of the other Communist leaders. One passage that seemed to meet the approval of all wings was:

"Not all revolutions are won at the point of the musket and over barricades. Barricades in the past have impeded revolutions as much as they have aided them. We cannot get a revolution at the point of the revolver unless circumstances are ripe, and it is not we, but the capitalists who make the circumstances through the rottenness of their system."

M. Frossard said that the Communists would continue to participate in the elections, following Lenin's advice, but would use Parliament as a rostrum to proclaim its futility.

Moscow Sends Ultimatum.

Unqualified acceptance of the twenty-one conditions laid down by Moscow is the only way the French Socialists can join the Third Internationale, the Congress was notified today in a telegram received from Nikolai Lenin, the Soviet Premier; Leon Trotsky, Minister of War and G. S. Zinovieff, Governor of Petrograd.

The telegram, which was read at this morning's session of the congress, was signed by the chiefs of all the national parties which are reported members of the Third Internationale. Together with the name of the party in the United States appears the name "Courvitch." It is believed here that "Courvitch" is Nicolai Courwiech, one of the editors of the Communist Party Novy Mir, the office of which was raided by Federal agents in New York early this year.

It is stated in the telegram that Moscow endorses a resolution proposed to the congress by Marcel Cachin, Socialist Deputy, for unconditional affiliation with the Third Internationale. It says the Soviet leaders in Russia regard as "imbued with a spirit of reformism and diplomatic chicanery" a middle-road resolution presented by Jean Longuet, minority leader, and Paul Faure of the Centre Party.

The platform presented yesterday by M. Faure provided for adhesion to the Bolshevist régime in principle, without acceptance of the twenty-one points imposed by Moscow.

Mr. Faure presented to the delegates figures showing material decreases of the memberships in the union syndicates of the Seine and of the French Confederation of Labor. The confederation membership has decreased from $1,500,000 to 600,000, he declared, while that of the Seine syndicates has decreased from 202,000 to 140,00. He asserted this decrease was due to the extremist element, and that the party would suffer further losses if the revolutionary spirit of Moscow prevailed.

REVISE BANQUET FIGURES.

Polish Feast Said to Have Been Less Costly Per Guest.

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GENEVA, Dec. 27.—A dispatch which appeared in The New York Times Dec. 10 concerning Paderewski's reported extravagance in entertaining twenty persons connected with the League of Nations at a banquet costing about $1,000 has caused much comment in Geneva. As G. H. Perris, who sent the dispatch, has since died, it may be stated that, apparently, in transmitting the figures one zero was omitted. Instead of about twenty guests, as stated, there were about 200.

The Polish banquet was followed by a dance and champagne supper. Consequently, about $1,000 for such an entertainment, given to so many people, was not considered excessive. Nevertheless, $1,000, at the present rate of Polish exchange, amounts to 2,000,000 Polish marks.

NEW GERMAN PLEAS AGAINST DISARMING

Government Opposes the Allied Demand for the Dismantling of Eastern Forts.

ARGUE FOR MILITARY POLICE

Newspapers Say That They Are Required to Watch the Monarchist Civic Guards.

BERLIN, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—The German Government in a note addressed to the Council of Ambassadors in Paris protest against the demand of the Control Commission, endorsed by the Ambassadors, for the dismantling of the southern and eastern frontiers of Germany as an infraction of the Peace Treaty, which it is asserted, permitted the fortresses to remain in the same state as they were on Jan. 10, 1920.

The note points out that the dismantling demanded would leave Germany with only three fortresses on these frontiers, and of these with Swinemünde alone with its equipment as originally arranged. Pillau would be permitted to have only thirty-five instead of seventy-five guns and Königsberg only twenty-five heavy guns.

Referring to the concentration of Russian troops on Germany's eastern frontier and the danger of a renewal of the Russo-Polish war, the note declares that persistance by the Allies in their demands would leave Germany defenseless. It therefore requests a postponement of the dismantling of the Königsberg, Kustrin and Boyer fortresses until the situation in the East has cleared up. This would leave Königsberg with 200 guns, Kustrin with 168 (of which 108 are of heavy calibre) and Boyer with about twenty-five field guns, which the note avers is the minimum that is requisite.

Discrediting the Belchswehr.

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By Wireless to The New York Times.

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—The Entente's latest note concerning the so-called military (or security) police and the secrecy with which the German authorities are treating it are causing great apprehension among the public. The newspapers intimate that the Entente desires the complete dissolution of the military police, which would leave the security of the Republic in the hands of the army of 100,000 men conceded by the Entente, two-thirds of whom may be considered as of monarchist tendencies and sympathizing with that notorious Escherich organization of Civic Guards, the abbreviated name of which, "Orgesch," originated in Bavaria. Only recently one of the reactionary leaders announced proudly in the Reichstag that the Orgesch, though prohibited in Prussia and other Federal States, had more than 1,000,000 members all over Germany and was ready to assume supreme power in any emergency.

It is difficult to ascertain today the real nature of the Entente note because, as various subordinate officials explained, it was necessary to await the return of the members of the Cabinet from their holidays. However, State Secretary Friedrich Freund, of the Prussian Ministry of the Interior, said the Entente desired the reorganization, not the dissolution, of the military police, especially the abolition of its military character.

Even in its present form, said Mr. Freund, it would be useless against the Orgesch, should the latter feel called to plant itself in power. The Orgesch as an organization has no army or arsenals, but each member was well provided with revolvers and other arms not designated as army weapons which were liable to confiscation.

Thus, if the Master Forester, Dr. Escherich, thought the time had arrived, each of the million members would appear at a trysting place armed to the teeth and the German Government would have only 100,000 troops to oppose them. Unless the Entente wishes to leave Germany at the mercy of the Orgesch it should not insist on weakening the military police.

Premiers to Meet About Jan. 7.

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PARIS, Dec. 28.—Premiers Lloyd George of Great Britain, Giolitti of Italy, and Leygues of France will hold a conference in Nice or Cannes about Jan. 7, according to a tentative agreement.

The Premiers' meeting is necessary, owing to General Nollet's report that 2,000,000 Germans in the Einwohnerwehr have not been demobilized, and that there are 2,000,000 rifles among the German civil population.

The Fiume situation or the weakness of the French Cabinet may delay the conference, but the French are anxious to have the meeting take place at the earliest possible moment in order to take steps to compel the Germans to live up to the terms of the Spa agreement on disarmament and demobilization.

The occupation of the Ruhr district and the City of Frankfort by France (one of the British war aims) to coperate is being urged in military circles here.

PLAN NEW INTERNATIONALE.

I. F. of L. Said to Be Able to Defy Lenin and Compers Alike.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—A new Socialist Internationale, which leans more to the Left than the Second Internationale and is not so radical as the Third, appears in process of development in Amsterdam under the leadership and auspices of the International Federation of Labor.

In a meeting of the Amsterdam labor unions last night, Van Oudegeest, President of the Dutch Labor Federation and Secretary of the International Federation, and Pieter J. Troosdeetra, the Dutch Socialist leader, gave an inkling of its plans.

"The International Federation," said Oudegeest, "with its 24,000,000 members, is now strong enough not to mind the American labor movement led by Samuel Gompers, and the Russian movement led by M. Zinovieff, which will have anything to do with it. We are not only able to parry their attacks, but to deliver blows. Our purpose must be the nationalization of industry, which it is only possible to carry out internationally by collaboration of the workmen's movements with a political internationale, which must be an internationale a little more to the Left than the Second Internationale."

BRITISH LABOR HITS POLICY ON IRELAND

Commission's Report Accuses Crown Forces of Burnings, Looting and Floggings.

DECLARES FOR CONCILIATION

Court-Martial Sentences Countess Markievicz to Two Years at Hard Labor.

LONDON, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—A scathing denunciation of Government methods in Ireland and a strong expression on the futility of coercive methods to suppress either the Sinn Fein movement or the Republican Army occupy for the most part the report of the Labor Commission which recently visited Ireland to study conditions there.

The report, which occupies fifty pages, has additional appendices giving extracts from police reports and other documents and photographs of destroyed property. It deals with all aspects of the present situation and the sentiment in Ireland, as well as a specific study of reprisals.

It shows incidentally that an appeal to Premier Lloyd George, signed by Arthur Henderson and William Adamson, as late as Dec. 23, had failed to bring a response to the commission's desire to institute an "unofficial truce" so that steps toward peace might be taken.

Calls Republican Army Formidable.

Declaring the Irish Republican Army to be formidable, because intangible, the report says that if it were concentrated as an army it could easily be defeated, and it exists only because it has the sympathy and support of the vast mass of the population.

"So great has been the provocation by the Crown forces that 30 per cent. of Irish men and women," continues the report, "now regard the shooting of policemen and the throwing of bombs at lorries with the same philosophic resignation that Mr. Lloyd George displays toward arson and pillage and 'the shooting of civilians in the presence of their wives and children. The destruction of creameries, &c., only serves to stimulate recruiting by increasing the numbers of desperate men."

The report declares that in the Black and Tans and auxiliaries "the Government has created a weapon which it cannot wield. It has liberated forces which it is not at present able to dominate."

Ridicules Explanation of Burnings.

The report ridicules the official contention that Sinn Feiners themselves burned and destroyed property in towns of markedly Sinn Fein sympathies as "unreasonable and indeed stupid." A minute description is given of all the cases investigated. One interesting point is that in the case of the Croke Park tragedy, when on Nov. 21 numerous persons were killed or injured at a football game, the report absolves the authorities from anything in the nature of "premeditated reprisal."

The report testifies to the difficulty of gathering information owing to the terrorism existing, eye-witnesses being threatened even with death if they divulge what they have seen. It describes minutely the character and organization of all the crown forces. Dealing with the constabulary it says:

"We feel compelled to express the opinion that by no means a negligible proportion of the Royal Irish Constabulary as at present constituted are men of intemperate habit utterly unsuited to their duties."

The strongest condemnation, however, is reserved for the auxiliaries, who, it is declared, evidently enjoy special and powerful protection.

It asserts that whatever reprisals have been scientifically carried out it has been almost invariably by detachments of cadet auxiliaries—men possessed of ability and education, and inflamed by political passion, who brook no interference from their superior forces and do not seem to recognize even the authority of Dublin Castle.

The report voices the apprehension felt by the Labor Party in England when it says with reference to this force. "The issues seem which are being forged in Ireland and could be used in England."

The report declares "a thing is being done in the name of Great Britain which must make her name stink in the nostrils of the whole world. The honor of our people has been gravely compromised."

The commission charges the Crown forces among other things, with burnings, destruction, looting and floggings.

Regarding the Government's responsibility for reprisals the commission states:

"We do not believe the Government directly and definitely inspired reprisals and violence, but, while it has perfunctorily denied certain occurrences which are beyond doubt, it has associated itself with and defended crimes committed by the Crown forces in Ireland. Blame for the present situation does not rest primarily with the members of the Crown forces, but with the Government."

Holds Case Is "Amply Proved."

Among the points in the commission's report are the following:

"Even if only a tithe of the fires which admittedly have occurred in many parts of Ireland during the last few months were caused by Government agents, the case against the forces of the Crown and the Government would, in our judgment, be amply proved.

"There are so many undoubted cases of looting and theft that the commission must add these crimes to those of burning and destruction. Many cases of beating and other forms (of punishment) came to our notice, some of which we were able to investigate.

"In some places there has been a good deal of flogging of the people.

"Rough and brutal treatment of women is by no means the worst that has to be said against men in the service of the British Crown.

"Final solution of the Irish problem will not be found in a policy of violence and vengeance. It will have to be found along the lines of conciliation and consent, by a more enlightened method of negotiation."

Railroads to Resume Service.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—With the exception of the Midland Railway, where the boilermakers' dispute is still unsettled, the railways which have been dislocated by the transport of munitions question are expected to resume their ordinary Winter services tomorrow.

Simultaneously with this solution of a crisis which has had a stranglehold on the commercial life of the country, peace rumors tonight are being vigorously resumed. They are based apparently on the visit to Dublin of Father O'Flanagan, who, since his interview to Lloyd George, has hitherto remained in Roscommon.

Yesterday was the date fixed for the surrender of arms, ammunition, &c., in the four counties under martial law. No particulars have yet been received in official quarters here of the effect, but it is extremely doubtful that the order, despite the fact that the penalties incurred include death, has been largely obeyed. In Dublin it is declared that the surreptitious disposal of arms, ammunition and explosives, and even of war relics, such as shell cases, has been considerable for some time past. One dumping spot is the River Liffey, and at low tide finds of revolvers and cartridges are frequently made. Public gardens, residences of known loyalists and even pillar letter boxes are used for disposing of illicit possessions.

DUBLIN, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—Countess Georgina Markievicz, who was tried by a court-martial on a charge of conspiring to organize a seditious society, was today sentenced to two years at hard labor in prison. The specific allegation against her was that she had between January, 1918, and September, 1920, plotted to organize a "Fianna Eireann," or Sinn Fein Boy Scouts Society. This organization has been charged with the conspiracy to murder military police and with unlawful drilling.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—Mystery surrounds the death of James Rackey, a prominent Republican, while in the custody of military forces at Tipperary. He was arrested two days before Christmas. No information is available as to the cause of his death except that he was killed yesterday morning during a struggle.

Woman Burgess Sets Police To Cleaning Up Town

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 28.—An order went out today from Burgess Lillian B. Brownlee, to Chief of Police Otto Lwellen to clean up the town immediately. Burgess Brownlee concentrated her first efforts for improved municipal government on gambling joints and pool rooms. She ordered all gambling houses closed, and informed the police chief that if her orders were not obeyed at once arrests would be made.

Tonight the Executive Committee of the League of Women Voters held a meeting and laid plans to support the new woman burgess in her campaign for better municipal conditions.

ASSERT BAVARIA GETS $274,000,000 LOAN HERE

Money to Be Used to Develop Her Water Power—Imperial Government Ignored.

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BERNE, Dec. 28.—Keen interest is being excited in financial, engineering and even political circles in Central Europe by the announcement that a New York company had subscribed an American loan to Bavaria to enable her to develop her very considerable water power, and in particular the power stations of Walchensee and the middle part of the River Isar, on which Munich is situated. The sum mentioned as involved is 20,000,000,000 marks (at the current rate of exchange, $274,000,000).

The deal is said to have taken place in Switzerland recently, when the Bavarian Minister of Finances met New York financiers during a visit which at the time was shrouded in mystery. The amount required for developing the power stations is estimated at only about 1,000,000,000 marks, but the remainder of the loan expenditure is needed for the purchase of electric plants—of course in the United States.

What really interests the public in Central Europe is the fact that Germany should be pawning her white coal to the United States. What astonishes the public is that the Bavarian Finance Minister admittedly acted on his own responsibility and that of Bavaria and without informing the German Imperial Finance Minister of a transaction involving millions.

Detailed plans for the development of Bavaria's water power had been formed before the war, but failed owing to the opposition of the German General Staff and coal kings. The General Staff in particular insisted that if all railways in Bavaria were electrified and obtained current from a few main power stations, and these stations from the Isar region, and failed to act or were destroyed by bombs from airplanes, they would never be able to move troops.

Switzerland is naturally greatly concerned about these German-American transactions, for she imports considerable quantities of electric power to Bavaria, and in case of large electrification of works there she would naturally have expected that her own electrical engineering firms would receive large orders for plants.

DUTCH LOAN TO GERMANY.

Vacillation at Berlin Precedes Final Ratification of Credit.

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THE HAGUE, Dec. 28.—Final ratification of the Netherlands 200,000,000 guilder credit to Germany in exchange for coal and certain foodstuffs, which has been pending for more than a year, brings a feeling of relief in many quarters of Holland, where large private interests are heavily involved.

The second chamber passed the bill hurriedly. It was ratified here and only German ratification was lacking for a time. A considerable portion of the credit was even advanced, but meantime the Germans, who had discovered that they were able to obtain more advantageous credits elsewhere, had been carrying on divers intrigues in order to free themselves from the contract. They even endeavored to persuade the Allied Reparation Commission that they were unable to fulfill the Treaty of Versailles, as well as the coal contract of the Netherlands.

Had the Germans failed to ratify the credit, it is rumored that one of the largest and best known banking houses in Holland which, like many others here, speculated too heavily in raw materials would have tottered to the verge of bankruptcy. The vacillating attitude of the Germans in these negotiations has shaken the faith of even the most pro-German elements in Holland. The Dutch press has continuously clamored for enlightenment on the reason for the constant delays.

PHONOGRAPH WORKS CLOSE.

Edison Plant in West Orange Shut Down Indefinitely.

It was announced yesterday that the phonograph works of Thomas A. Edison, Inc., at West Orange, N. J., would close tonight indefinitely. Charles Edison, Chairman of the Board of Directors, issued the following statement:

"On Dec. 29 the Edison phonograph works will close down to balance inventory. Employes will be recalled individually or by departments as rapidly as needed for this work. Other divisions of the Edison industries, such as storage battery, disc re-creation, primary battery, &c., are continuing operations."

C. T. Lamb of the Edison works said that balancing of inventory was found necessary when there was overproduction in any department. In such cases manufacturing might be held up until the state of overproduction no longer existed. The term "to balance" inventory, it was explained, did not mean to take an inventory of stock in the common acceptance of the term.

It was said at the plant that about 1,600 employes would be affected by the shutdown. Whether or not there will be a deduction made in the salaries when the plant reopens has not been decided.

COAL MINERS AGREE TO MEET OPERATORS

Accept Offer for a Parley to Adjust the Inequalities in Present Wage Contract.

BUT WON'T DROP DEMANDS

Kennedy Says Effort Will Be Made to Have Them Considered as "Inequalities."

NO THREAT WILL BE MADE

He Declares That There Will Be No Stoppage of Work, Regardless of Outcome.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 28.—Accepting the offer of the operators to adjust inequalities and injustices within the present wage agreement, the General Scale Committee of the anthrac

SEES FIRE PERIL IN WASTE SHIP OIL

Dock Commissioner Warns the Mayor of the Danger of a Waterfront Conflagration.

ACTION BY THE CITY ASKED

Suggests That Delegation Be Sent to New Orleans to Study Problem There.

Asserting that the discharge of oil waste by oil-burning steamships in New York Harbor has become a menace, Dock Commissioner Murray Hulbert has written Mayor Hylan, urging the city to take steps to lessen the danger of a waterfront conflagration, such as has Twice swept the Port of New Orleans recently, from this cause.

The situation has become so serious as to engage the attention of the Federal authorities and the Army Engineer Corps has asked Congress for an appropriation of $1,012,000 to prevent further illegal dumping of oil waste in the harbor. If this appropriation is obtained, it is proposed to enlarge the patrol fleet of the Supervisor of New York Harbor, a navy officer attached to the Army Engineer Corps, and to appoint fifty inspectors, one of whom will be stationed on each oil-burning steamship while in the harbor.

In his letter to Mayor Hylan, Commissioner Hulbert suggested that New York City should send representatives to New Orleans to investigate the fires there with a view to recommending precautionary measures here.

"According to recent accounts in the papers," reads the letter, "the Port of New Orleans again suffered a very heavy loss—the second within two months—to its docks by fire. The fire appears to have been caused by the breaking of an electric wire, which fell into the water, creating a short circuit and igniting oil which had spilled from a tanker.

"On July 19, 1920, I wrote you advising you what we were doing within our limitations to meet the growing menace from the improper discharge of oil waste in our harbor, and suggested that an appropriation be made in the budget for 1921 so that we might deal adequately with this problem. But in the paring down of the budget to meet an unprecedented situation no provision was made therein for this work.

Asks City to Act.

"These two big fires in New Orleans only serve to substantiate the grave fears that I have had respecting the possibility of such a catastrophe along our own waterfront, and, on the theory that a stitch in time saves nine, I most earnestly suggest that notice of these conditions should be taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionate and something done to meet them.

"I believe it would be a good thing if a representative of the Fire Department, the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and the Department of Docks were sent to New Orleans to investigate at first hand the conditions surrounding their two great fire losses, with a view to recommending precautionary steps to be taken to avert the possibility of such a conflagration in New York. And I emphasize this particularly in view of the fact that we are now embarking upon the new policy of installing cranes and other mechanical appliances, electrically operated.

"Some day I hope we will come to the point of realizing the necessity of building substructures of docks out of concrete, which this department has undertaken to do for the first time during this Administration in the case of some of the Street Cleaning dumps.

"If and when it is convenient I would like to discuss this matter with you personally, after the first of the year, with a view to suggesting some specific proposition to be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for consideration and adoption."

Violations Hard to Detect.

One reason for the large quantity of oil in New York Harbor was said to be the lack of any ready method of oil-burning vessels getting rid of the residue in their oil tanks, except by discharging it into the water. This method is forbidden by law, Federal, State and city, but violations are so difficult to detect, as the oil waste is discharged under water, that comparatively few penalties have been imposed. A system of barges to carry away this oil residue, similar to the system used to carry away ashes and garbage, has been suggested but has not yet been organized.

One reason for the request for an appropriation for a patrol fleet is the desire of the army engineers to protect the New Jersey and Long Island coasts from the deposits of oil which have caused many complaints within the last few years. It is proposed to ask for a law to prohibit any steamship under American registry from dumping oil waste within one hundred miles of any inhabited coast and to try to bring about an agreement with other countries for the establishment of a general rule to this effect. It is also proposed to increase the minimum penalty for a violation of the present law against dumping waste in a United States port from $250 to $1,000.

A Federal official, who has studied the situation, said the deposit of oil in New York Harbor was becoming more of a danger than is generally realized and was getting worse all the time. In the month of October 173 oil-burning steamships entered New York Harbor, and the number is constantly increasing.

WOMAN ARRAIGNED AT 70.

Charged With Larceny for Failure to Deliver Stocks She Sold.

Anna Voglin, 70 years old, of 209 West 136th Street, was arraigned before Magistrate Silberman in Washington Heights Court yesterday on a charge of grand larceny. She pleaded not guilty, and was held in $5,000 bail for further examination Thursday.

Mrs. Mary C. Hoke of 202 St. Nicholas Avenue caused the woman's arrest. The defendant visited her home, then at 305 West 136th Street, last Aug. 18, to sell her some stocks. Mrs. Hoke said she gave the woman $100 for stocks that never were delivered. Mrs. Hoke said her brother also had invested $1,200, and that he, too, had been similarly treated.

The police produced a purported receipt of the woman, showing that she had been involved in court proceedings at various times since 1884, when, it was said, she was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for larceny.

TRAFFIC ON NASSAU STREET.

Vehicles to Be Permitted to Use Thoroughfare Four Hours Daily.

As the result of conferences between Captain P. J. Gray of the Police Traffic Bureau and David Robinson, President of the Downtown League, Nassau Street is to be reopened to vehicular traffic.

Southbound traffic will be permitted between 9:30 o'clock and noon and northbound traffic will be allowed between 3 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

This step, it was said, was taken because of the increasing congestion in the financial district. Aside from the hours indicated, no motors or trucks will be permitted in Nassau Street.

Mrs. MacSwiney to Sail Saturday.

Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the Lord Mayor of Cork, who starved himself in an English prison, will sail for Great Britain next Saturday on the United States Mail Steamship Company's liner the Panhandle State, after testifying in Washington before the Committee of 300 investigating conditions in Ireland.

DANIELS WOULD KEEP FUEL OIL FOR NAVY

Thinks the Government Should Reserve It for Warships and Merchant Marine.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Asserting his belief that the nation which has an assured supply of oil is best equipped for an efficient navy and merchant marine, and that the time has come when America must make the most scientific use of its oil supplies and reserves, Secretary Daniels today declared himself in favor of the adoption of a national policy the ultimate effect of which would be to prohibit the use of fuel oil for ordinary industrial purposes so as to enable the nation to conserve its fuel oil for use on the high seas by the navy and merchant marine.

"The present duty of our country with respect to oil," said Mr. Daniels, "is to recognise, first of all, that coal and water power should be more and more utilized in industrial plants on shore and on railroads, and the oil fuel held for ocean commerce and the navy. If the future oil supply is as small as many believe then it seems to me that the Government should control the distribution of oil so as to insure that its merchant vessels and warships, practically all oil-burners, shall never be found impotent through lack of the only fuel that can now insure their superiority."

Mr. Daniels said that he was personally in favor of the nationalization of the coal, oil and water power wealth of the nation. This, he said, was merely his personal view in the matter without any attempt on his part to dictate the policy of the Government itself. He thought the nation had been wasteful of its fuel and power resources.

"Coal, oil and water power," he said, "constitute the basis of national prosperity, international commerce and the best naval operation. I believe the time has come when the oil, coal and water power should be nationalized, and their ownership and distribution regulated for the good of all instead of being controlled by those who have not been free from profiteering. I believe the ownership of these vital essentials of naval, marine and national power should be used for the national needs; that private ownership should be justly compensated; that steps should be taken by which wasteful production, to the injury of the country, and profiteering on private and industrial consumers should be ended.

"The statesmanship of our day should redeem the folly of earlier days, when these prime necessities were left unregulated to our lasting injury. Whether the Government shall buy and carry on production, or whether coal and water power or regulate their production, distribution and price is a question of the utmost importance. The Government should not sit still and permit continued waste and profiteering. It must make a way, or find one, to guarantee to industry, to the merchant marine and navy an adequate and continued supply of oil, coal and water power. Regulation of coal, oil and water power should become as fixed a Government policy as the regulation of interstate commerce, express and telegraph rates. It is, indeed, more important as coal and oil, because they are of limited supply, and the world is threatened with the peril of their exhaustion."

Secretary Daniel said that the time had passed when a coal-burner could any longer compete with an oil-burner in sea commerce.

SWANN ASKS LEGAL HELP.

Wants Attorney General to Try Cases in Which Aids Are Interested.

District Attorney Swann yesterday asked Governor Smith to place the prosecution of three cases, in which members of the District Attorney's staff are "necessary witnesses for the people," in the hands of the Attorney General. The cases are those of David Hirshfield, Commissioner of Accounts, who is accused of libelling Assistant District Attorney James E. Smith and former Governor Charles S. Whitman, and Jacob Goldman and Bernard Friedman, indicted for perjury in connection with the same case.

Army Orders and Assignments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The War Department published the following orders today:

Coast Artillery.

Johnston: Col. F. E., to Baltimore, on staff of Comdg. Gen., 3d C. A. Dist.
Emery, Maj. F. E. jr., to New York.
Sizer, Maj. C. M. S., to Walter Reed Hosp., sick.
Ostrander, Capt. H. W., to Ft. Hamilton.
Smith, 1st Lt. G. B., to Camp Eustis.

Infantry.

Taylor, Lt. Col. J. G., to Camp Travis, with 1st.
Kent, Capt. W. H., to 13th, Camp Devens.
Schoonover, 1st Lt. H. F., to Ft. Sill, F. A. School.
Williamson, 1st Lt. R. L., to Air Svce., March Field.
Fleet, 1st Lt. G. T., to Letterman Hosp., sick.

Medical Corps.

Ford, Capt. J. H., to Army Med. Sch., this city.
Aydelotte, Maj. J. T., as Prof. Mil. Sci. at Thomas W. Evans Museum and Dent. Inst., Sch. of Dent., University of Pa.
Sawtelle, Maj. H. F., to Edgewood Ars.
Pratt, Maj. J. M., to 9th Corps Area, San Francisco, for assignment.
Snyder, Capt. G. W., from Germany to U. S. and report to Adjt. Gen. for instructions.

Field Artillery.

Moseley, Lt. Col. G. V. H., to 15th, Camp Travis.
Foy, Lt. Col. R. C., to 17th, Camp Travis.
Faulconer, 1st Lt. J. W., to Walter Reed Hosp., sick.
Evans, 1st Lt. B., to Headquarters, F. A. Brigade, Camp Travis.

Cavalry.

Viner, Maj. J. W., to Ft. Thomas.
Kelley, 1st Lt. A. F., to asst. chief of staff for operations, Ft. Sheridan.

Quartermaster Corps.

Dollard, 1st Lt. J. T., as asst. to Depot Qm. Gen. Sup. Depot, Washington.
Davis, 1st Lt. F. E., report by telegraph to Cmdg. Gen. 9th Corps Area, San Francisco.

Veterinary Corps.

Lamb, Capt. M. B., to Walter Reed Hosp., sick.
Lovell, 1st Lt. R. I., report to Cmdg. Offr., Camp Ft. Biles, for duty.

Miscellaneous.

Spiller, Maj. E. B., to Chicago for sta. and report to Cmdg. Gen. 6th Area, Ft. Sheridan, for duty in office of Fin. Off., Chicago.
Von Deesten, Maj. A. P., C. of E., to Galveston.
Torrence, 1st Lt. J. E., retired, to Rec. Svce., Greensboro, N. C.

Resignations.

Bloembergh, Lt. Col. H. D., M. C.
Cauthern, 1st Lt. C., Inf.

Leaves.

Benson, Maj. C. C., Cav., 1 mo.
Nix, Maj. R., Ord. Dept., 2 mos.
Miller, Maj. F. C., Inf., 10 days.
Clark, Maj. O. E., Inf., 1 mo.
Harrison, Maj. E. S., C. A. C., 1 mo., 10 days.
Andrews, Maj. J., F. A., 23 days.
Carter, Maj. W. V., Adjt. Gen.'s Dept., 15 days.
McAdam, Capt. W. A., Inf., 10 days' ext.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The Bureau of Navigation published the following orders today:

Gaffney, Lt. Cmdr. J. J., to duty as aid on staff of Rear Adm. J. W. Oman, Cmdr. Virgin Islands.
Hawthorn, Lt. W. P., to Nav. Tr. Sta., Great Lakes.
Mackey, Lt. R. D., to 5th Regt. Marines, Quantico.
Kalen, Lt. H. L., to the Mississippi.
Ritchie, Lt. H. L., to the Baltimore.
Moynan, Lt. W. T., to Asiatic Sta.

The Civil Service.

City.

Applications for laboratory assistant (pathology), will be received until 4 P. M. on Jan. 12. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age. The subjects and weights of the examination will be experience, 8; practical test, 6; citizenship, 1. A qualifying physical test will be given. Candidates should have at least six months' experience in a hospital or research laboratory, where pathological work is carried on. There is one vacancy in the Public Welfare Department at $1,376 a year.

United States.

Several ship draftsmen, Grade B, with technical experience in ship work, at salaries of $6 to $7.20 per diem, are required for employment at the Norfolk, Va., Navy Yard. Interested persons should write for application and information to L. H. Fisher, Secretary of the Fourth United States Civil Service District, Washington, D. C.

No Heat, Two Landlords Fined.

Two landlords who, according to Inspectors of the Health Department, neglected to provide heat for the comfort of tenants, were arraigned before Magistrate Alexander Brough in the City Magistrate's Court yesterday. William Sperling of 5,319 Broadway, owner of a house at 3,301 Broadway, was fined $200, and Harry Fein of 905 Simpson Street, the Bronx, owner of a house at 65 West 134th Street, was fined $100.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The disturbance that was central off the New England Coast Monday night moved northeastward to Newfoundland with greatly decreased intensity and the Alberta disturbance moved eastward to Manitoba. Pressure was high Tuesday over middle and southern sections east of the Mississippi River, over the West Gulf States and west of the Rocky Mountains, except over the North Pacific States.

Light snow has fallen within the last twenty-four hours in the region of the Great Lakes, New England and Northern New York and rain in Florida, along the South Atlantic Coast and in the North Pacific States. In all other regions the weather was generally fair.

The weather became colder Tuesday in the Eastern States, except New England, while there was a decided rise in temperature from the Rocky Mountain region eastward over the Plains States, the Mississippi and upper Mississippi Valleys.

The outlook is for snow flurries in the region of the Great Lakes and the upper Ohio Valley Wednesday and Thursday and mostly fair weather elsewhere east of the Mississippi River.

The temperature will rise in the region of the Great Lakes, Ohio Valley, Tennessee and the east Gulf States Wednesday and in the lower lake region, the upper Ohio Valley, the Atlantic and east Gulf States Thursday.

FORECAST FOR TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Northern New England—Fair and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday unsettled and warmer.

Southern New England—Fair Wednesday; Thursday cloudy and warmer.

Eastern New York—Generally fair Wednesday; Thursday cloudy and warmer.

New Jersey—Fair Wednesday; Thursday cloudy and warmer.

Western New York—Unsettled weather Wednesday and Thursday, probably snow; warmer Thursday and in west portion Wednesday.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M. today, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1920.	1919.		1920.	1919.
3 A. M.	33	32	4 P. M.	30	36
6 A. M.	35	31	6 P. M.	27	33
9 A. M.	34	33	9 P. M.	26	31
12 M.	36	39	11 P. M.	25	24

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 31; for the corresponding date last year it was 35; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 33; at 8 P. M. it was 28. Maximum temperature, 38 degrees at 3 A. M.; minimum, 23 degrees at 11 P. M. Humidity, 70 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 74 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.91 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.01 inches.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Weather forecast:

Ill. and Mo.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., warmer Wed.

Wis.—Partly cloudy Wed. and Thurs., rising temp.

Minn.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., warmer in e. Wed.

Iowa—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., warmer Wed.

N. Dak. and S. Dak.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., moderate temp.

Kan.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., moderate temp.

Mont.—Unsettled Wed. and Thurs., with rain w. of Divide, colder.

Wyo.—Fair Wed. and Thurs., except probably snow in extreme n. w., colder.

N. M., S. Col. and Ga.—Fair Wed.; Thurs. partly cloudy, warmer.

Fire Record.

A. M.
12:16—106 W. 42 St.; Elks Club.....Slight
12:45—400 W. Hwy; Overland Leather Goods Co.....Not given
12:55—771 8 Av.; Louis Bart.....Slight
3:00—2,402 7 Av.; Aaron Ingeer.....Slight
10:20—1,622 Grand St.; Jos. Carrie.....Not given
10:20—330 E. 58 St.; D. O'Brien.....Not given
11:30—1,216 1 Av.; I. Hamberger.....Not given
11:30—104 Essex St.; Benj. Needle.....Slight
P. M.
2:25—535 E. 88 St.....Slight
2:45—In front of 20 W. 29 St. (auto); Samuel Karten.....Not given
2:50—295 W. 121 St.; Mrs. Easton.....Not given
3:15—531 Lenox Av.; D. Kaplan.....Not given
3:15—145 E. 114 St.; H. Schwartz.....Slight
4:00—201 E. 53 St.....Not given
5:40—140 Baxter St.; Bright Light Mantle Co.....Not given
6:10—55 Mercer St.; A. H. Steinfeld.....Not given
6:15—189 Howard Av.; Wm. Harrison.....Not given
6:20—528 City Island Av.; S. G. Lots.....Not given
6:25—1,506 Southern Boulevard; J. Wolfe.....Not given
7:40—128 5 Av.; E. M. Kuhlmyre.....Not given
8:15—2,702 8 Av.; not given.....Not given
8:45—329 Columbus Av.; C. Pimbeck.....Not given
9:10—383 W. 166 St.; C. Levine.....Not given
9:15—99 4 Av.; Gollen & Ennis.....Not given
9:45—30 E. 19 St.; Giller & Gillsick.....Not given
9:50—129 W. 29 St.; J. K. Bendwich.....Not given
10:20—356 E. 88 St.; Victoria Wagner.....Slight
10:30—82 Sullivan St.; Consumers Bakery Co.....Not given
10:35—358 Grand St.; Mos Loeschecht.....Not given
11:15—2,475 3 Av.; Keystone Drug Co.....Not given
12:20—105 Greenwich St.; Ideal Sign & Show Case Co.....Not given

The record on Dec. 23 showed a fire in the premises of United Button Co., at 152 West 25th St. The fire was in a hallway and not in the premises of that concern.

BUSINESS RECORDS

In Town.

EUGENE WALTER, author, residing at 2 West 67th St., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $7,479, and no assets, except wearing apparel of value of $100. Among the creditors are Max Hart, money loaned, $2,100; David Belasco, money advanced, $500; Friars Club, dues and house account, $386; Schwartz & Selwyn, money loaned, $200; Thomas Healy, $371; Reisenweber's, $213, and Judge J. H. White, San Francisco, $500.

FEDERAL SNAP FASTENER CORP.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Federal Snap Fastener Corporation, manufacturer, at 25-29 West 31st St., by these creditors: Federal Advertising Agency, Inc., $10,000; Irving National Bank, $10,000, and Equitable Trust Company, $10,000. Judge Knox has appointed Milton Dammann receiver, in $20,000 bond. It is stated that the assets are of a market value of about $50,000.

TRIEGER & DRUCKER.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against David Trieger and Harry Drucker, co-partners trading as Trieger & Drucker, manufacturing furriers, at 28 West 28th St., by these creditors: R. Beck, $1,013; B. Richter, $1,011, and H. Beck, $200. It is stated that the liabilities are in the neighborhood of $100,000 and the assets about $50,000. An assignment was also made to Archibald Palmer, in the assignment the address was given as 25 West 26th St.

ROYAL BOX AND LUMBER COMPANY, INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Royal Box and Lumber Company, Inc., dealer in packing cases, at 61 West 23d St., by these creditors: Fae Harstein, $3; L. J. Zahn, $243, and Periman Bros., $200. It is stated that the liabilities are about $50,000 and the assets about $5,000. An assignment was also made to Martin M. Alpert. The company was incorporated in 1914. Isidore Siegel is its President.

PENN LUNCH COMPANY, INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Penn Lunch Company, Inc., restaurant and lunchroom, at 259 West Thirty-fourth Street, by these creditors: Austin Nichols & Co., Inc., $80; Charles Greenwald, $236, and William K. Hughter, $150. It is stated that the liabilities are about $10,000 and the assets about $2,000. Judge Knox has appointed Joseph Mulqueen receiver in $1,000 bond. Liabilities said to be about $10,000 and assets about $2,000.

HENRY A. TOVIM—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Henry A. Tovim, manufacturer of dresses, at 200 Fifth Avenue, by North American Bank Company, creditor, for $500. An assignment was also made to Lester S. Freedman.

SAMUEL FOLANSKY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Samuel Folansky, retail dry goods, at 282 Grand Street, by these creditors: H. Buchman, $635; Kaplowitz, $305, and Sydney Haberman, $215. An assignment was also made to Abraham Rosenthal.

WOLF & TROY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Isidor Wolf and Charles Troy, cloaks and suits, trading as Wolf & Troy, cloaks and suits, at 38 Division Street, by these creditors: Annis Storchstein, $470; B. Bunder, $118, and Milton Weinberg, $25. An assignment was also made to Abraham Rosenthal.

BILLY SHARP—William Shapiro, actor, known professionally as Billy Sharp, residing at 2,407 West Ninety-seventh Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $2,465 and no assets. Among the creditors are Billie Bernard, $600; George Furberg, $700, and Eugene Hammerstein, $150.

SCHUHF & SUHR—Judge Knox has dismissed the petition in bankruptcy filed on Oct. 15 against Wurf & Suhr, jobbers in woolens and silks, at 105 Eldridge Street, upon a settlement with creditors of basis of 35 cents on the dollar—10 cents in cash and balance in notes.

A. S. Lichtenthal—Judge Knox has dismissed the petition in bankruptcy filed Nov. 22 against A. & S. Lichtenthal, furriers, at 307 Seventh Avenue.

KAMMOLZ & SOLOMON, INC., furriers, at 32 West Fifty-first Street, have filed notice in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $82,353 and assets of $64,438, consisting of stock, $56,000; machinery and fixtures, $4,500; accounts, $1,718, and cash in banks, $174. Among the creditors are New York Fur Auction Sales Corporation, $21,117 and Charles S. Porter, Inc., $17,864.

IRVING CANTOR, dry goods and haberdashery, at 161 Madison Street, has assigned to Abraham I. Wolf.

ERMINIE GOODMAN, art and antique shops at 506 East Houston Street, has assigned to Emanuel M. Lebowitz.

H. C. SCHULT COMPANY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by H. C. Schult, as President of the H. C. Schult Company, manufacturers of oil food products, 405 Kent Avenue, Brooklyn, with liabilities of $23,360 and assets of $14,300.

NETTIE BARON, housewife, 1,223 Bushwick Avenue, Brooklyn, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $5,441.25 and assets of $100.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 28.—The Acme Silk Company of Paterson was haled into the Bankruptcy Court here today by three creditors. The liabilities are reported at $150,000 and assets at about $75,000. The petitioning creditors are the Imhoff-Berg Silk Dyeing Company, $3,600; L. H. Young, $500, and Hamilton Silk Company, $500. Joseph McDonald of Paterson has been made receiver.

Nicholas Hughes of Paterson has been made receiver of Louis Hertz, lace manufacturer of Hackensack. The liabilities are fixed at $70,000 and the assets $80,000.

JUDGMENTS.

Filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

A. S. Kaufman Mfg. Co.—Nassau Finance Co.....$540.35
Adler, Maurice B.—F. O'Byrne.....110.00
Brenner, Rubin—State Industrial Com.....150.00
Brenner Stevedoring Co.—J. K. Laslin et al.....1,302.70
Burgdorf & Lynch, Inc.—Collate & Co.....143.16
Baird, Milton E., Emma L. Liberti and Baird & Sen—J. A. Van Brunt & Co.....5,961.35
Broadedge Corp. and G. M. Ehrgott—Brown Advertising Agency, Inc.....478.42
Coan, Cecilio L.—L. B. Bates.....24,107.60
Callahan, Joseph M.—Electra Toy & Novelty Co., Inc.....106.45
Courier Rubber Co., Inc.—One-Fifty Nassau St. Co.....328.75
Dickinson, Howard C.—J. H. Otter.....630.61
Dawley, Thomas R.—Royal Card & Paper Co.....200.74
Einborn, William—B. Altman & Co.....261.49
Ely, Mary E.—Hertz, Inc.....104.35
Flanders, Jas. Inc.—Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn.....358.69
Glineberg, Rebecca—Shults Bread Co. costs.....100.12
Gendall, Louis and Samuel, and Samuel Gottlieb—Public Credit Corp.....225.30
Grassi, Felicia—Butler Bros.....163.79
Hefter, Samuel—C. Sophian.....274.87
Halberg & Bus, Inc.—Protenhaar-Nesbit Co.....348.86
Henderson, Wm.—State Industrial Com.568.00
Hirschfield, Ben—Tyson & Co.....132.10
Johnson, W. H.—G. McKay.....11,325.69
Jacobowitz, William—State Indus. Comm.592.00
Kessler, Samuel—H. Basser.....264.75
Kramer, A. J. and W. J.—A. Levy.....4,500.00
Kagel, Peter—G. C. Holtz.....423.90
Kaspar, Max and Isaac Blasberg—S. Soroka.....317.15
Lamaks, Gustave—R. Hecht.....316.00
Landgraf, Ernest C.—I. A. Dexter.....359.77
Lewis, Harry W., Kimball.....214.61
Litts, Aaron D.—McClave & Co.....321.41
Lindau, Julius W. J. Jr.—M. B. Hahn.....413.82
Muller, Oscar—W. Von Held.....156.15
Myers, Meeta—J. S. Charles Myers & Co., Ltd., and Joseph H. Herman—S. G. Frazier.....1,621.83
Matthews, Samuel D.—V. P. Blanchard.....4,678.37
Miller, Gordon D.—F. O'Byrne.....110.00
Same—Same.....110.00
McConnell, Samuel and Noble (Edward McConnell & Co.)—U. S. Rainoos Co.....2,378.24
Mayer, Chester—I. Benjamin.....174.35
Monack, Joseph, and Empire Woodwork Co.—P. Manowitz.....126.91
Netherlands-American Trading Co., Inc.—C. Hodell.....16,280.01
N. Y. Fur Co.—S. Edwards.....500.00
Same—A. Edwards.....200.00
Nathan, Leon—Foreign Trade Bankers Corp.....1,065.59
N. Y. Society for the Suppression of Vice—R. D. Halsey, costs.....114.67
N. Y. Bake Rite Corp.—Albert R. Cone, Inc.....381.11
Nicholas, Celia—F. Zundell.....1,141.70
Same—R. Landriani.....815.18
Same—F. Zundell.....216.70
Same—R. Landriani.....587.93
Petroleum Producing & Refining Co.—D. Meltz.....138.00
Rogers, Isidore, and Libras Holding Co.—S. Goldberg.....149.29
Ross, Philip—M. H. Wiehle.....563.40
Reichardt, Otto—C. P. Braitsch.....427.25
R. L. Riccamboni Co., Inc.—Manhattan Electric Supply Co.....1,001.13
Seaway Launch Co.—United Electric Light and Power Co.....281.14
Silver, Louis—Same.....106.91
Superior, Nathan E. (N. E. Superior & Co.)—A. W. Watson et al.....256.50
Seigel, Max, and Sidney (Max Seigel & Son)—H. Sellinger.....584.45
Siegel, Mars—Henry B. Altman & Co., Inc.....741.85
Shack, Herman—State Industrial Commission.....512.00
So Relle, Walter B.—A. Morris.....364.38
Sino-North American Co., Ltd.—A. B. Hasuse Co.....6,139.75
Semple, H. Darrington—F. O'Byrne.....110.00
Tyrnauer, Daniel J.—J. Traugott.....5,194.19
Tractor Pub. Co., Inc.—Essex Press, Inc.....420.92
Tischler, Simon E.—Thomas & Howard Co.....344.21
Thompson, Constantia—N. Y. Rys. Co.....108.25
T. W. Dinkin, Inc.—United Electric Light and Power Co.....285.60
United Boot Black Supply Co., Inc.—State Industrial Commission.....540.00
Vena Fell, or Peg—A. M. Stavisky et al.....398.24
Weill, Jacob, and Max Horowitz—Hamilton Trust Co.....711.00
White, Henry S.—Bordentown Steel and Tube Co.....2,188.29
Wiedhopf, Oscar—E. J. Deveney et al.150.72
Weinstock, Philip, and David Carlinsky—Richardson & Boynton Co.....184.32
Weiser, Charles—N. Machson.....149.42
Whitney, Agnes—C. P. Martin.....116.50
Wetmore, John J.—E. Speed.....1,049.30
Wightman, Richard—A. J. James.....158.90
Same—Same.....452.90

In Bronx County.

Dickstein, Louis—Grolier Society of London.....$52.60
Hays, Frances G.—D. Virtue.....1,781.81
Jonschekowitz, Johanna—J. Jonschekowitz.....79.16
Kleinberg, Abraham—P. Cahill.....113.25
Same—W. Cahill.....84.00
Mastellane, Edward—J. H. Bookman.....144.72
Nirrenberg, Herman—C. W. Hedell.....4,004.80
Stetson, Samuel—J. Lazar.....191.80
Schiffer, Anton—M. Zander.....1,621.83
Zeidler, William A., admr.—Seadars Constr. Co.....123.96

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and date when judgment was filed.

In New York County.

Larkin Holding Co., Inc.—Continental Casualty Co.; Sept. 2, 1920.....$104.17
Saltzseider, Frederick W. and Elizabeth—Paul H. Israel; Dec. 23, 1910.....121.40
Weinberg, Morris—D. Levy; March 2, 1912.....239.41
Winans, John—C. G. Bandler; Jan. 6, 1918.....256.33
Weingartner, Max and Max Korzberg—N. Y. Carved Moulding Co.; March 14, 1918.....139.15
Pribal, Bernard and Emanuel Mallin—C. D. Cohen et al.; Dec. 28, 1920.....1,140.61
Kornreich, Hyman—Montrose Silk Mills, Inc.; Nov. 30, 1920.....3,015.40
Sivsilian, Silmas and Leon Maughan—S. D. Sarkisian; Aug. 13, 1920.....15,008.68
Frailinghuysen, Joseph S. and Wilkington Fire Ins. Co.—M. Robinson et al.; Oct. 19, 1920.....1,294.75
Dunlap, Wm. A.—N. Y. Transportation Co.; Feb. 28, 1916.....894.61
Pierce Arrow Renting Co., Inc.—B. Webber; Dec. 8, 1920 (vacated).....2,568.24
Milano Silk Weaving Co., Inc.—H. Stadtman et al.; March 13, 1920.....5,001.92
Levy, Samuel L. and Max Spahn—S. Horwitz et al.; Nov. 18, 1920.....504.00
Hampstead Lumber & Mfg. Co., Inc.—L. Haas Lumber Co.; Nov. 3, 1920 (vacated).....3,418.82
Same—Same; Nov. 6, 1920 (vacated)...1,335.72

In Bronx County.

Strauch, Abraham—Encyclopaedia Britannica Corp.; July 27, 1920.....$166.56

SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook.	Governors Island.	Hell Gate.		THE SUN. Rises.	Sets.
	A.M. P.M.	A.M. P.M.	A.M. P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
High water	10:24 11:15	11:03 11:48	9:29 12:03		7:19	4:37
Low water	4:30 5:06	5:02 5:40	7:01 7:34			

Incoming Steamships.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Isla de Panay	Havana	Dec. 22
Helen	San Juan	Dec. 23
Hawaiian	Charleston	Dec. 22
Measdea	Portsmouth	Dec. 15
Hilton	Tampa	Dec. 21
Topar Topa	Immingham	Dec. 8
Jaldon	Hamburg	Dec. 10
Steel Worker	Avonmouth	Dec. 12
Manta	Porto Rico	Dec. 20
Manchioneal	Limon	Dec. 20
Rimouski	Liverpool	Dec. 16

DUE TODAY.

Mar Cantabrico	Hamburg	Dec. 10
Eastern Crown	Blyth	Dec. 10
Kronland	Southampton	Dec. 15
Ninian	Manchester	Dec. 15
Rosalind	Halifax	Dec. 27

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Fort Hamilton	Bermuda	Dec. 27
Monamar	Antilla	Dec. 24
Santa Teresa	Valparaiso	Dec. 10

DUE TOMORROW.

Vasari	Liverpool	Dec. 18
America	Naples	Dec. 16
Letrim	Sydney	Nov. 26
Caronia	Cherbourg	Dec. 27
Tivives	Colon	Dec. 29

DUE FRIDAY.

Pasaro	Naples	Dec. 17
Borga	Hamburg	Dec. 15
City of Savannah	Savannah	Dec. 28

DUE SATURDAY.

Rysdam	Rotterdam	Dec. 21

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Nieuw Amsterdam, Plymouth	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Olympic, Southampton	9:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Santa Lutes, Colon	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	West coast ports of South America.
Quilnes, Guayaquil	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Ecuador, Panama.
Caracas, San Juan	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Central America.

SAIL TOMORROW.

Drottningholm, Gothenburg	10:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sweden, Latvia, Finland.
Susquehanna, Bremen	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Germany, Poland.
Derby, Senegal	12:00 M.	5:00 P.M.	West Africa, Gold Coast.
Ripley Castle, Cape Town	12:00 M.	5:00 P.M.	South Africa.
St. Patrick, Rio Janeiro	7:00 A.M.	10.00 A.M.	South Brazil.
Mayaro, Trinidad	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	West Indies, Demarara.
St. Bede, Santos	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Argentina, Uruguay.
Tungus, Turks Island	12:00 M.	5:00 P.M.	Santo Domingo City.

SAIL FRIDAY.

Duca d'Aosta, Genoa	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Italy.
Patria, Piraeus	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Greece.
Hellig Olav, Copgen	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Denmark, Norway.
Escolano, Cadiz	7:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Spain, Morocco.
Morro Castle, Havana	7:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Mexico, Nassau.
Cosmo, San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Porto Rico.
Iroquois, Turks Island	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Santo Domingo City.

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer & Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.
City of Benares, Bombay	Dec. 30	12:00 M.
Oswotomee, London	Dec. 30	10:00 A.M.
Buffalo Bridge, Bilbao	Dec. 31	12:00 M.
Montana, London	Dec. 31	12:00 M.
Missouri, London	Dec. 31	10:00 A.M.
Alexandrian, Liverpool	Jan. 3	12:00 M.

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At	Date.
Tregenna	Port Natal

THE BUSINESS WORLD

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday .....7¾ to 8 p. c. for the best names
Monday .....7¾ to 8 p. c. for the best names
The quotations are for six months' paper.

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Fair Day in Gray Goods.

Judged by recent standards, yesterday was a fair day in the local gray goods market. Sales for the most part were again confined to December-January deliveries. In the print cloths, 19-inch 72-76s brought 16 cents, and 39-inch 68-72s sold for 22½ cents. For 33½-inch 60-48s, buyers paid 6½ cents. Sales of 5.50-yard sheetings were made at 14½ cents. About the only thing of interest in the specialties was the further trading that took place in 36-inch 64-104, 4.30-yard sateens at 13½ cents.

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Post-Holiday Sales Draw Well.

Although it is too early to get a real idea of how the shopping public will react to the post-holiday reductions in prices that have been many by the retailers, there is little question but that they are drawing shoppers to the stores. Attendance yesterday at the "January" white sales that started on Monday was large, and it was said that Monday's attendance was good, the storm considered. With Monday's business limited by the weather and yesterday's sales figures not in hand at the time the inquiries were made, executives were not in a position to say just how much actual buying the new prices had brought about. The feeling was, however, that buying of staple and semi-staple goods would be active at the reductions, particularly after the public has had time to "get its bearings."

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Less Lenient With Tardiness.

Now that the holiday rush is over and it is possible for retail stores to reduce their sales staffs, less leniency is being shown toward employes who are chronic offenders against store rules. One thing in particular that is now frowned upon more than ever is tardiness. In some stores, inability to get to work in due season now costs employes their positions after they have offended a certain number of times. One store, at least, makes a point of posting "lay offs" for tardiness in a conspicuous place in the employes' section, presumably as a silent warning to others. Yesterday this list contained about thirty names.

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One Store's Increase.

As an example of how far wrong reports of the closing down of large stores have gone, a retail executive yesterday quoted the sales figures of one institution which has been often referred to in the closing rumors. This store, he said, increased its business $5,000,000, or over 20 per cent., in the year now coming to a close. The additional business was obtained on a profitable basis and not through any special sacrifices. While inventory figures are awaited with interest, this retailer stated, the losses where shown will be capital rather than actual losses.

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New Suit Styles Attractive.

With the special study given to promoting the sale of women's suits for Spring, the manufacturers seem to have given equal importance to the element of style and style. Price appears to be the first consideration still, but style has become, and will continue to be, more of a factor. At present a survey of the market made by expert buyers indicates that suit styles are particularly good for the new season and the prices should be reasonable. In the semi-staple lines, tricotines and poiret twills still remain favorites, taking almost 90 per cent. of this business. Wool checks have been developed for the popular novelty trade, and jersey suits are promised their usual good demand. Three-piece suits are well thought of, particularly for the early season trade. Although Easter is early and may demand the coat or coat wrap, there is said to be an element of strength in the suit demand which it has lacked for the last two seasons.

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Pressing or Waiting for Sales.

There are two clearly defined policies now being worked out by manufacturers in various lines. One calls for extra sales pressure to develop business during the present unsettled period, and the other favors waiting until conditions improve. Advantages are claimed for both systems. To the concern that makes a special effort to capture trade now added profits are held forth when times become more normal. It is believed that the groundwork can be laid now for additional business in the future by those firms which are now fighting hard for orders. The "watchful waiters" contend there is nothing to be gained by seeking business until the buyers themselves grow more certain over prospects. It is the contention of this class that there is too great a risk of forcing purchases while uncertainty exists.

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Await Inventory Ruling.

A ruling on inventories is expected today from the Treasury Department, which has had the matter under advisement. What the retailers, through the National Retail Dry Goods Association, have been seeking is a more simplified method of presenting their inventory figures than the one at first demanded. Merchants will be permitted to take inventory on the market instead of the cost price of merchandise, but to do so it was necessary to obtain numerous affidavits and other substantiation of the figures submitted. This, it was pointed out to the Government officials, was too complicated a system to be carried out satisfactorily.

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Ready-to-Wear Is Dull.

The holidays are causing the usual dullness in the women's ready-to-wear trade. Business is not expected to pick up until after the turn of the year, but at that time many buyers are expected in the market. The vanguard will come in next week and by the middle of the month orders for a good portion of Spring production will, it is thought, be taken. Diverse reports come from the men on the road, depending in large measure on the local conditions encountered. Some of the salesmen have been able to get a fairly satisfactory amount of business while others have failed to meet expenses. Quite a general report is that the retailers have expressed a desire to see for themselves just what conditions exist in the wholesale market before making their purchases.

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Say Sellers Are Stubborn.

A considerably larger business might be done by sellers of unfinished cotton goods in the local market, it is asserted, were they less stubborn in the attitude they have taken about prices. Buyers assert that there is nothing in the present situation which justifies the maintenance of present levels, and that sellers know this just as well as they do. With surplus stocks and demand as they are, and with raw cotton scraping bottom, it is charged that gray goods prices are about half a cent a yard higher than they really should be. Pending this way, buyers naturally show little disposition to take anything they do not need for immediate use.

BUYERS' WANTS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

ARTIFICIAL SILK Wanted—Quantities. H. Mestiner, 320 8th Av., New York. Murray Hill 2826.

CANTON CREPES Wanted—Better grades only. S. L. Manufacturing Company, 48 West 24th.

CANTON CREPES, Taffetas Wanted—Good quality. Countess Dress, 12 East 23d St.

CHARMEUSE Wanted—Quantity Dupian's or Chaney's for cash. Disker & Ginsberg, 23 West 23d St.

COATS and SUITS and WRAPS Wanted—Prominent jobber looking at Spring samples, medium and high priced. 29 West 30th, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on children's and juniors'; afternoons only. 301 East Broadway.

COATS Wanted—Infants' and children's; jobber looking at Spring samples. 60 West 21st.

COATS, SPRING, Wanted — Placing orders infants' intermediates, 4th floor, 19 West 24th.

COATS, WRAPS Wanted—High-grade; placing orders, afternoon only, 116 West 27th, 3d floor.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on Spring coats. Call with samples. 10 East 38d, first floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples better grade, 8th floor, 25 West 31st.

COATS Wanted—Open to buy Spring capes of the better class. H. D. Brous, 11 East 26th.

COATS, SUITS Wanted—Misses' and junior Spring samples. 15 East 30th, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at coats and wraps for Spring. 110 West 50th, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted — Stouts; jobber placing orders. 6th floor, 147 West 35th St.

COATS and WRAPS Wanted—Fourth floor, 45 West 27th.

BUYERS' WANTS.

COATS and WRAPS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring ladies', juniors' and children's all week. 9th floor, 9 East 17th.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at coats, suits; also children's coats. Call all week, mornings only, 12 East 22d (4th floor).

COATS Wanted—Jobber open for Spring coats and wraps; call all week. Rosing & Cohn, Inc., 1,333 Broadway.

COATS and WRAPS Wanted—Placing orders on high-grade coats and wraps for Spring. 10 East 35d, 6th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring suits and coats of the better kind. 236 5th Av., 7th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at infants', intermediates, children's; Spring samples. 15 East 30th, 8th floor.

COATS, SUITS and WRAPS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples all this week. 21 East 22d St. (5th floor).

COATS, SUITS Wanted—Placing Spring orders. Call mornings. M. B. Kaufman, 6 West 32d St.

COATS Wanted—Adolphia Coat Co. looking for Spring coats. Karmel & Abramson, Brevilla Hotel.

COATS (Children's) Wanted—Popular and better made, from 6 to 14. Call 12 West 24th, First floor.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring models. 5th floor, 45 West 27th.

CORDUROY Wanted—9000 firm finish, dark colors, for cash. Stuyvesant 2459.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Devonshire, golden, kiddy and peggy cloth; also white and khaki three-yard jeans; cash. Lewis & Buchalter, 67 5th Av.

COTTON GOODS Wanted — Amoskeag 19000 plaids; payment 10 days; submit pattern numbers. K 250 Times.

COTTON NETS Wanted—All counts; cash if cheap. Watkins 6595.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Eagles 684, dark shades; large quantity; price must be cheap for cash. Rosner Dress House, 106 West 32d.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Three thread; also cheap satin at a price. Arlington Underwear, 105 East 29th.

CREPE Wanted—Canton, all shades. Marinac Young, 30 West 31st.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—65 and 72 pick; cash. Cohen-Marks, Co., 36 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on jade models taffeta, Canton crepe, crepe de chine, meteor, poiret twills, tricotines and evening dresses from popular priced to highest grade. Submit samples 9-5 daily, 26 West 33d, 9th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber will pay cash for any quantity of tricotine, serge and silk dresses. 153 West 27th, 3d floor. Chelsea 7365.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing Spring orders; call with samples. Betty Dress Co., 1,123 Broadway.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring styles, better grade, from contractor only. 40 West 24th, 1st floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber buying high-class tricotine dresses. Sample Room, 29 West 22d, 11th floor.

GEORGETTE AND CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Will buy at very low figures for cash; submit samples. Clover Garment Co., 28 West 32d.

GEORGETTE Wanted—Any color or in the greige, for spot cash. Stavisky 16 Greenstone, 102 East 23d St.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Also crepe de chines in gray and finished. Adams, 40 West 22d.

GINGHAMS Wanted—We are open for ginghams in Scotches, Amoskeags, Lancaster and Andersons in all latest patterns; also for trimming for children's dresses. Banner Mfg. Co., care of Prince George Hotel, M. L. Diskmese, Pt. Sherman.

JAPS Wanted—4/4 to 5/4 momme, in henna. Kelly, cash. Madison Square 2615. 43 East 31st, 1st floor.

JEANS Wanted—Pacific, Lonsdale or Hill's Barbara Frietchie. Middy Corp., 19 East 17th.

LININGS Wanted—Printed Japs; quantity. Rosenfeld Bros. & Rosenberg, 23 West 21st.

PLAIDS Wanted—All wool; also Dewkist and Baronet sailing at price; cash. Faultless, 1,161 Broadway.

POIRET TWILL Wanted—Quantity better grade. Bernstein, 31 West 31st. Longacre 4134.

POIRET TWILLS Wanted—Better grades only. F. S. L. Mfg. Co., 43 West 24th.

POIRET TWILL, Gera Wanted—50236, navy only. Fitzroy 4376.

POIRET TWILL Wanted—Gera Mills 50236. Franklin 1774.

POPLIN Wanted—Susquehannas faille lastre or similar grade; must be cheap; spot cash. Rosner Dress House, 106 West 32d.

POPLIN Wanted—Max Plschel 731, black. Franklin 1774.

SATIN Wanted—Bargnet, all shades; also any kind of fancy silk stitchings; also white Venetians. Eagle Mills, 54 East 11th, Stuyvesant 6760.

SATINS (Wash) Wanted—Flesh; open for large quantity at a price for cash. Adelson, 387 4th Av.

SERGES Wanted—Open for a quantity at a price 7150, 7513 and other numbers similar to these for spot cash. Weisen & Goldstein, 1,107 Broadway, 10th floor.

SERGES Wanted—54230, 54236; also plaids; must be cheap; will pay cash. Madison Square 6363.

SERGES Wanted—French, to cost from $1 to $1.25 cash. Myer Gans Co., 121 West 20th.

SERGES Wanted—1052, 104, 1464, 0936, quantity at right price. Bernstein, Longacre 4134.

SERGES Wanted—Wehlman 99, navy, for cash. A. Zimmerman, 55 East 11th.

SERGES Wanted—0936, 238, 833 navy and black. Madison Square 1060.

SERGE Wanted—Walworth 3715. Franklin 1774.

SHIRTS Wanted—Open for quantity men's shirts; $7; stock goods only. Apply 9 o'clock H. E. Ullman, Room 1303, 116 West 32d St.

SILKS Wanted—Will buy for spot cash, ¾ and 5-thread crepe de chines; also crepe meteors, satins, satins, peau-de-soies, georgettes, taffetas, sport silks, printed georgettes; also all kinds of shirtings and all kinds of remnants in silk from 1½ yards up. Store, 34 East 29th. Madison Square 3671.

SILKS Wanted—Open for quantity of flowered silk linings; must be very cheap. 1 East 28th (6th floor).

SILKS Wanted—Wash satin; open to buy quantity at a price; cash. Rosenthal Bros., 138 West 21st.

SILK Wanted—Satin, 40 inch, all colors, at $1.35; 8 off cash. Madison Square 1806.

SILKS Wanted—Plain radium linings. Schwartz Bros., 150 West 22d.

SILVERTONES Wanted—Lightweight, any quantity, cash. Betty Dress Co., 1,123 Broadway.

SKIRTS Wanted—Placing orders for Spring line. Brown Cloak & Suit, 45 West 25d.

SUEDINE Wanted—13058; all colors. Spring 8676.

SUITS AND WRAPS Wanted—Jobber placing quantity orders on high-class suits and wraps. See our Mr. Lawrence, 12th floor, 12 West 27th St.

SUITS Wanted—Popular and better made for misses, juniors and ladies. Call 12 West 27th, 1st floor.

SUITS—Wraps wanted, jobber looking at Spring line popular prices. A Jacobs, 30 West 32d.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring coats, suits and dresses. 6-8 East 27th, 14th floor.

SUITS, WRAPS Wanted—High grade jobber placing orders. 19 Madison Av. (12th floor).

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade suits, 31 West 31st, 4th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Placing orders for Spring line. Brown Cloak & Suit, 45 West 32d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Open for large quantity, brown, navy and also other colors; bring sample piece with you. Weisen & Goldstein, 1,107 Broadway, cor. 24th, 10th floor.

TAFFETA Wanted—Will buy for cash any quantity, good quality only, 9th floor, 28 West 32d. Telephone Pennsylvania 6330, Mr. Jacobs.

TAFFETAS and CANTONS Wanted—All colors; will pay cash if price is right. Schlesinger & Wolper, 206 5th Av.

TAFFETA Wanted—U. & D. Stehli or similar; also crepe de chine, 5 thread. Hirsch & Bro., 152 West 27th.

TAFFETAS AND CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Large quantity. Zeitz & Levin, 2 West 32d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—For cash, 3248 and 206 or similar, all shades. Latzter, 485 4th Av.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Navy and brown; any quantity, for cash. Blau & Hirsch, 143 Madison Av.

TAFFETAS, GEORGETTES, JAPS Wanted—All shades, at a price. Max Levine, 148 West 36th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Open to buy quantity, navy, Belgium and brown. Slice, 17 West 32d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Navy, black, brown, gray; cash. Bildmore Dress, 6 West 20th.

TAFFETAS and CREPE DE CHINES Wanted. Betty Dress Co., 1,123 Broadway.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Changeable and solids, and shades. Shu-Tu-Maid, 142 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Good quality brown (affetas). Harry Eidlinger, 20 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—All colors, all qualities. Stern, Miller Co., 23 West 32d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Quantity for cash. Kabat Bros., 20 West 20th.

TAFFETAS Wanted — All colors. Brodie-Siegel Co., 32 West 27th.

TRICOTINE and Serges Wanted—0338 and 7301. Sol Levine & Co., 12 West 27th.

TRICOTINES wanted for cash; 0338, 8178, 8768, 1064 and others. Stuyvesant 2459.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Good quality. Schwartz Bros., 150 West 22d.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Read's 5600, navy and tan. Murray Hill 3012.

BUYERS' WANTS.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Navy, Andrews's 8782 or Deland's 517-B; open to buy 50 pieces for cash. J. Klotz & Epstein, 58 West 23d St. Gramercy 1818.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Goffe, Getz or Whitmans 36-inch cotton warp in colors. Philipsborn, 313 Broadway. Mr. Pike.

TRICOTINES Wanted—8782, Andrews 0339 or similar; also 0309 American, black. Madison Square 3915.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Any good make, to cost from $2 to $2.10 cash. Myer Gans Co., 121 West 20th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Open to buy 100 pieces in navy at $2. Princess Dress, 29 West 31st St.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Navy, immediate delivery, for cash. National Dress, 130 West 30th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Navy, large quantity; price $2 to $2.25. Karl Light, 139 W. 27th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—3002, 5086, 0338, 817, quantity at right price. Longacre 4134.

TWILL CORDS Wanted—F. & H. 1041 tricotine, 0338. Watkins 2641.

UNDERWEAR Wanted—G. Fox & Co., Hartford, Conn., is open for quantity bargain basement merchandise consisting of waists, knit and muslin underwear, hosiery, house dresses, aprons and petticoats. Send samples marked "Attention, Bargain Basement!"

VELOURS AND POLOS Wanted—Heavy weights, for cash. Watkins 2641.

VOILES, Organdies, Batistes Wanted—Below market. 315 4th Av. Room 1706.

WAISTS Wanted—Placing orders for Spring line. Brown Cloak & Suit, 45 West 25d.

WOOLENS Wanted—All kinds woolens at a price. Oscar Kirsch, 56 West 22d.

YARN Wanted—Artificial silk, at a price, for cash. Watkins 2487.

Contracts Wanted.

CONTRACTOR on kimonos desires connection with manufacturer or jobber. D 289 Times.

PATERSON silk manufacturer having sixty box looms, is open for commission or consignment work; Canton crepe a specialty. Apply X 2481, Times Annex.

WANTED work on commission for 16 broad silk looms; also warping; reference given. K 338 Times.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

ARMY GOODS—Jerkins's, finest lot, immediate delivery from floor; also other merchandise bargains; bring cash. Waldan, 109 5th Av.

BRAIDS, staple and fancy; first quality goods; quick sale before inventory. Phone Spring 8244.

CANTON CREPES—All shades, good quality; immediate delivery. Letzter, 433 4th Av.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Closing out gingham dresses at a price. David Harris, 38 West 21st.

COATEES—Plush, also cloth coats, jobs, fur trimmed, close out, at exceptionally low prices. Korostoff, 12 West 21st st.

COATEES, Coats, Plushes, long, short, fur trimmed, plush; sacrificing prices. Singer & Son, 32 West 27th.

COATEES — Plush, best fur trimming, for cheapest price. 7th floor, 48 West 25th.

COATS AND WRAPS—Immediate delivery; chamoisynas, evoras, valdyne, tasmanias, bolivia, &c.; nutria, Australian opossum and raccoon trimmed; also a large assortment of cheaper grades at price. Stollerman, Donovan & Berkman, 1,140 Broadway.

COATS AND WRAPS — Fur trimmed and plain; wonderful variety of style; made in the season's most desirable fabrics; priced exceptionally well. Masonitzky & Stollerman, 28 West 27th.

COATS and Wraps—Fur trimmed and plain; all silk lined; wonderful variety of styles; made in the season's most desirable fabrics; very low prices. Leipzig & Rosenberg, 128 West 27th.

COATS—Wraps, Bolivias, velours, neutria, raccoon, Australian opossum collars, snappy styles, prices exceptionally low for January sales. Rothblum Goldberg, 53 West 26th.

COATS — Infants', intermediates and children's; plush fabric coats to close out, $1.50 up. Rosenfeld Bros. & Rosenberg, 22 West 21st St.

COATS, WRAPS AND SUITS below cost—Silvertones, velours, Bolivias trimmed with Australian opossum, nutria and seal. Elkin, 106 West 32d.

COATS—130 assorted ladies' light woolen; from Paris; immediate delivery, Gamble, 290 Broadway, Room 231. Worth 7789.

COATS—2,000, sacrifice, including fur silk plush, fur-trimmed coatees, $5.75. Gelfond, 141 West 28th.

COATS—Wrappy styles, large fur collars, cheap; also plain and fur trimmed suits. Lee Hexter & Co., 38 West 25th.

COATS—Closing out wonderful selection of suedine and bolivia with fins fur collars; call at once. L. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATS—25 Australian opossum-trimmed; closing out at $19.75; also others, cheap. Ullus Bros., 37 West 32d.

COATS, WRAPS—Trimmed with squirrel, opossum, beaver-rite and sealine; 200; will sacrifice. Marcus Klipper & Co., 34 W. 27th.

COATS, SUITS AND WRAPS—Spring's smart models now ready. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 31st.

COATS—Desirable lot ladies' and misses' fur-trimmed, to close out at sacrifice prices. Norwalk Bros., 105 Madison Av.

COATS—In plush and cloth, to close out at sacrifice. Brown Cloak and Suit, 43 West 25d.

COATS—Children's, Juniors' and ladies', for January sales. D. Kantor & Wasserman, 3 East 11th.

COATS—200 wraps and coats, better grade, fur-trimmed and plain, at sacrifice prices. Rubinstein & Dechter, 140 West 23d.

COATS AND SUITS—Fur trimmed, better grades; close out at sacrifice. J. S. Warman, 22 West 18th. Chelsea 8382.

COATS, fur trimmed; velour silvertone and swedine for January sales. Rosenberg Bros., 26 West 17th St.

COATS AND SUITS—Season's best styles, fur-trimmed, sacrifice. Cooper, Lansner & Cooper, 115 West 37th.

COATS, Suits, jobs, leading materials; raccoon and opossum trimmed; sacrifice. Ohringer, 9 West 30th.

COATS—Jobs 200 infants' and children's to close out at a sacrifice. Scharf, Hirson & Shapiro, 136 West 31st. Watkins 326.

COATS—Sacrificing stock beaver, raccoon, Australian collars, $29.50. Bernstein, 31 West 31st.

COATS—Last 100 Fall coats; will accept reasonable offer. American Cloak Co., 11 West 17th.

COATS—Closing out jobs, heavy all wool velour, 5 styles with fur collars; $8.75. A. Jacobs, 30 West 32d.

COATS—Ladies' cloth coats, plush coatees; close out after January sale, $4.75 up. Frank, 48 West 23d.

COATS—Ladies', misses' and juniors' to close out very cheap. Schwartz & Zemsky, 38 East 9th.

COATS—Closing out Fall stock plain and fur-trimmed; sacrifice. Kaplan & Weinstein, 153 West 18th.

COATS—Children's, juniors', ladies', fur trimmed; close out. Edelson & Haid, 16 West 22d.

COATS—Sacrificing Bolivias, suedines, plain and fur-trimmed. Cohen-Edelman, 55 West 21st.

COATS AND WRAPS—1,000 to close out at a price. Monarch Garment Co., 226 5th Av.

COATS—Girls' close out very cheap. Kramer, 12 West 31st. Longacre 4533.

COATS, Suits, Dresses—Closing out entire stock. Meyer Cohen, 19 Madison Av.

COATS AND WRAPS—Of the better kind, close out. 32 East 21st, tenth floor.

COATS—Children's cloth coats; sacrifice for January sale. Rolly Polly, 46 West 22d.

COATS, all lined, to close out; cheap. Blumenson & Co., 36 West 22d.

COATS—1500, at a great sacrifice. 40 West 27th, 4th floor.

COLLARS—Large quantity of men's soft and stiff collars in popular brand, staple styles, good sizes, at a sacrificing price. Canal 3880.

CORDUROYS — 5000, 612, all colors; also remnants. Stuyvesant 1404.

COTTON GOODS—Four cases of Catlin's mottled flannel, hemlock, reasonable. Telephone Walker 6044.

CREPE DE CHINE—Crepe meteors and georgettes, 52 colors, and silks of every description, for spot delivery; prices far below manufacturing cost; export trade solicited. M. Marks Co., 264 4th Av. Madison Square 7300.

CREPE DE CHINE—All shades, good for manufacturing and export trade; prices below manufacturing cost. Amin Merlige, Sunset 6087.

DRESSES—Contractor has 1,000 tricotines to be picked off the racks for half the price. Jeanne Mfg., 139 West 31st.

DRESSES—Jobbers! Jobbers! Spring line of better grade advanced models now ready. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 23d.

DRESSES on the racks; closing out 300 tricotine and serges; good styles. Pamlick, Nonas Co., 16 West 21st.

DRESSES—200 high-class silk velour, tricotine dresses at a sacrifice to close out. Fanchon, 41 West 25th.

DRESSES, 500 serge and tricotine, $6.75, to close out. Women's Wear Stock Exchange, 16 West 31st St.

DRESSES—1,000 tricotines, at $9.75, for January sales. F. W. R. Dress Co., 11 West 20th.

DRESSES—Tricotine serge, charmeuse, to close out. 3310 8th Av., between 30th and 31st Sts., 4th floor.

DRESSES—Jobs charmeuse, velour and serge dresses, close out very cheap. 21 West 31st St., sixth floor.

DRESSES—Closing out at sacrifice prices, satins, charmeuses. I. Frank & Son, 4 West 22d.

DRESSES—All wool tricotine Spring models to close out at a price. Betti Dress Mfg., 116 West 27th.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

DRESSES—4,000 stout dresses, cloth and silk, to close out at your own price; wonderful values for your special sale; also showing our Spring line of canton crepes, taffetas and crepe de chines at our well-known popular prices. Popular Price Dress Co., 18 West 27th.

DRESSES—We have about 2,000 all-jersey dresses, embroidered on waist and skirt, at the unusually low price of $5.75; also tricotines and serges at remarkably low prices; if interested, call, write or wire. Goldblatt & Schaeffler, 130 West 20th. Chelsea 8205.

DRESSES—For buyers interested in running sales on dresses of the better kind we have to offer our surplus stock of tricotine, satin, crepe and minuettes, &c., in assorted lot at an average price to meet their requirements. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st.

DRESSES—New models of Spring styles, in all materials, at very low prices for January sales; ready for immediate delivery. George Kuhn, 148 West 24th.

DRESSES—300 of better kind at sacrifice; tricotine, velvets, charmeuse and evening gowns; no reasonable offer refused. Hahn-Benjamin, 143 West 29th.

DRESSES—Spring line of better grade, advanced models in the latest materials, for immediate delivery at lowest prices. Bon Ray Dress, 510 6th Av.

DRESSES—Taffetas, canton crepes, charmeuse, Spring models; 5% gross profits; special Canton crepe dress, $14.75. Wm. Greenberg, 277 5th Av.

DRESSES — Serge and tricotine dresses; must be disposed of this week; wonderful bargains for your January sales. Rosen & Co., 28 West 25th.

DRESSES—Styles especially designed to put action into January sales; our regular $25.75 models now $10.75. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 23d.

DRESSES—About 50 sample dresses, taffetas, poiret twills, tricotines of the better kind to close out. F. S. L. Mfg. Co., 43 West 24th.

DRESSES—Beautiful assortment of smart evening dresses to close out at exceptionally low price. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st St.

DRESSES—50, high-class, duvetyn and chiffon velvet, to close out at an exceptionally low figure. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st.

DRESSES—3,000 tricotine, serge, velour, and velvet at sacrifice prices; also jobs in samples of taffeta and satin dresses. Pan American Dress Co., 12 West 31st St.

DRESSES—Closing out our new Spring line, consisting of fur capes, georgettes; very new and snappy styles. 303 5th Av., Suite 1904.

DRESSES—Big bargains; wool velour, $6.75; wool serges, embroidered, $4.75; satins, close out. Loeb-Nussbaum, 119 West 25d.

DRESSES — Closing out checked velour, beaded satin and beaded georgette at a sacrifice. Gold Dress, 142 West 24th.

HOSE, Underwear, Waists—Entire stock hitherto merchandise to sacrifice. Diamond, 25 West 34th.

HOSIERY—30,000 dozen ladies' and men's cotton hose, all colors, first quality, 67½c to $1.10 dozen; ladies' mercerized seamed back, first quality, $2.85 dozen; sacrificing 50c to $1 per dozen in heavy wool hose. Quinto Co., 1,123 Broadway.

HOSIERY—Women's heather stockings, $3.75, $4.50 and $6 dozen; men's, $3.50, $4.50 and $6.50 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

HOSIERY—2,500 dozen men's cashmerette, Oxford colors, first quality, 175 needle; f. o. b. mill set cash, $1. Worth 190c.

PETTICOATS, Waists, Children's Dresses, Skirts—Closing out $50,000 stock; exceptional low prices; take advantage, buy now. Greater N. Y., 244 5th Av.

PETTICOATS—Fine cotton in black and colors, wearer guaranteed, to close out under market price. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

PETTICOATS—Sateen, 500 dozen black, to close out at $6. Stylish Petticoat, 8 West 29th.

REMNANTS—Nice lot of woolen remnants. I. Weinstein & Bro., 159 Madison Av.

SERGES and Tricotines—7614, 7512, 7125, 8178, 0338, 0309, 0306, 0030, 838, 7008, 9056, 809, DRW; Andrews, Gera tricotines and others. Henry Samson, 658 Broadway, Spring 2716.

SERGES—750 and 904 and 5715 and 534; velour, bolivia, plain and silvertip; below market. Sipkin & Gorechen, 19 East 20th.

SERGES, Tricotines, Polos—Spring shades, 0388, 0986, 893; also plushes. Stuyvesant 8458.

SERGES—Amoskeag, 5850; black and navy; others. Warren Woolen, 41 West 25th.

SERGES, Tricotines—7301, 7130, 7614, 11453, 0936, 235, 5782; cheap. Watkins 2196.

SERGES—104, 0038, 825, 11453, 7130, 7301, 7513, 7614, 1464. Madison Square 1540.

SERGE—Fifty pieces Garfield and Gera, cheap. Longacre 2529.

SHIRTS—We will sacrifice our over $100,000 stock of dress, work and flannel shirts at 50 to 60% less for disposal before inventory taking. Samuel Meltzer Co., 738 Broadway.

SKIRTS—5,000 all-wool plaids specially priced to put action into January sales. Bahn, 9 West 20th.

SKIRTS—Wool, plaid, pleated for January sales, at unheard of prices. Correct Skirt, 15 West 34th St.

SKIRTS—All-wool plaids, serges, to close out. M & L., 133 West 25d.

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SUITS—Misses' Fall suits, fur trimmed and plain, to close out at low prices. Davidson & Vorck, Inc., 25 West 26th.

SUITS, fur trimmed, velour, serge and tailored oxfords, for January sales. Rosenberg Bros., 26 West 17th St.

SUITS—100 to close out at a sacrifice price. TWeiner-Hussey Co., 2 East 29th.

SUITS—Closing out at a sacrifice. Potter & Schattman, 31 West 31st.

SWEATERS—300 dozen men's sweaters in Oxford, maroon and navy, to close, $13.50 dozen; also slipover sweaters at $7 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

TAFFETA—Navy, brown, good quality; also chiffon taffeta; if interested, please call; no telephone calls. Sol Sol Rosenfield, 31 East 27th.

TAFFETAS—Brown, navy, good quality; also chiffon taffetas. 220 5th Av., Room 507. Madison Square 6767.

TAFFETA, Pyramid—700 5 black, 14 navy, 7 mole, 5 seal brown; spot cash. Wilkus, 140 West 25d.

TAFFETA—For sale, five pieces brown, $2. Bettinson & Cade, Inc., 417 5th Av., New York.

TAFFETAS—Navy and brown. Brody Costume Co., 105 Madison Av.

TAFFETAS—Plaids and stripes, at a price. 1,150 Broadway, Room 507.

THIBETS—40-1 black, 32½c.; all-wool velours, 75c.; overcoatings, mixtures, very cheap. Oscar Kirsch, 56 West 22d.

TRICOTINE—Closing out cheap, all popular makes, including Andrews, Deland's, Read's, &c., navy, tan, rookie blue; also offering other fine makes; $2.50 to $5.75. Madison Square 1520.

TRICOTINES—5782, 7161, 10854, 4718, 0388, black; others; cheap. Schaffel, Madison Square 9079.

TRICOTINE—5783, and other makes, all colors, very cheap. Madison Square 8184.

WAISTS and OVERBLOUSES—Crepe de chine, georgette and tricolette, for January sales to close out. Deutchman Brothers, 15 West 20th St.

WAISTS—Jobs at sacrifice prices; georgette and tricolette. 148 West 24th, 7th floor.

WOOLEN—F. & H. 10625 and 10930; Franz & Mertz mixtures, 6574. Chelsea 3364.

WRAPS AND COATS—300 fine wraps and plush coats, close out cheap. Schoenfeld Co., 30 West 27th.

Contracts Offered.

CONTRACTOR who makes better class tailored dresses wanted to connect with reliable house. Box 782, 209 Cable Bldg.

CONTRACTORS wanted on petticoats; quantity business; Spring samples. 3d floor, 244 5th Av.

CONTRACTORS on bathing suits; bring your samples. S. Guggenheim, 6 West 28th.

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ARMY GOODS — Army regulation garrison shoes, $4.35; navy blue wool pea coats, $7.85; West Point officer shoes, $3.85; army wool mackinaw, 30 ounce, $7.90; army O. D. slippers, $1; hip boots, $2.75; army hobnailed shoes, $3.50. Elias Bevlow Corp., 110 Duane St.

ARMY, NAVY and OFFICERS' SHOES—Factory close-outs in job lots at bargain prices. Phone Bryant 2433. Lunine-Kalish Shoe Co., 245 West 42d St., also car selling agents, Lehman Sales Co., 461 Broadway.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—All descriptions, new and reclaimed; lowest prices. Berger-Kraus Co., 27 West Houston St., near B'way.

FRENCH, German, Japanese, Chinese Goods Pearl necklaces, beaded bags, brushes, buttons, braids, millery, ventes, &c., below cost of importation. International Sales Co., 1,170 Broadway. Telephone Madison Square 7262.

HOSIERY—Factory sold 45 and 54 inch wardrobe model trunks, flat trunks 38 to 44 inches, used trunks; will sacrifice at low price. M. & L. Diamond, 49 West 20th.

Help Wanted.

SALESMEN—Silk salesmen now selling retailers and jobbers in city and various territories wanted by silk manufacturer to sell a few strong values in silk crepes for fall connection; house is favorably known to every silk buyer throughout country; samples take little space, but large stock carried and large sales possible; commission basis; state firm represented (in confidence), territory, annual sales, &c. Y 2447 Times Annex.

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MAN, 32, capable managing office work, correspondence, advertising, buying, selling ability, supervise salesroom, stock, shipping and receiving department, seeks worthy connections. C 139 Times.

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BALTIMORE—Eisenberg's: Miss K. Cohen, waists, petticoats, sweaters, house dresses, aprons; 97 W. 26th St.

BALTIMORE — Goldenberg Bros.; J. Wold, women's coats, suits, furs; McAlpin.

BALTIMORE—Joel Gutman & Co.; Miss M. Butler, gloves; J. Smith Jr., knit goods, men's furnishings; 200 5th Av., Room 514.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; Miss A. E. Cox, laces, dress trimmings, buttons, embroideries; 250 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—Isaac Gans; M. Shapiro, coats, suits; 1,170 B'way, Room 610.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; I. E. Plaut, stout dresses; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; T. L. Shanahan, men's furnishings; C. B. Chandler, men's, boys' clothing, boys' furnishings; Miss Greever, notions; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—M. S. Schneiman & Co.; N. Cohen, dresses; Alcazar.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild-Kohn Co.; Miss S. Blumenthal, art goods; Miss T. Stern, corsets; 250 5th Av.

BALTIMORE — Hutzler Bros. Co.; A. D. Hutzler, dry goods, china, glassware; H. Oppenheimer, cloaks, suits, furs; 559 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—The Hub; Miss B. Goodman, dresses, skirts; 1200 W. 36th; Pennsylvania.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—L. Pisitz D. G. Co.; L. Pisitz, Spring suits; 37 W. 26th, 7th floor.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—W. H. Roland; E. Gross, ready-to-wear; 120 W. 32d.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Conflicting Movement of Stocks —Railway Shares Distinctly Strong, Industrials Decline

A quiet money market prevailed yesterday, with rates for all periods unchanged; a bond market in which some prices went slightly higher and others slightly lower; a foreign exchange market whose rates moved with similar lack of uniformity; a commodity market in which wheat declined and cotton went to the low price of the year and the lowest since the middle of 1916; a stock market which, in its mixture of advances and declines, was pretty much a duplicate of Monday's. The day's whole movement of values was little more than embodiment of the utter perplexity of the financial mind, tinged with the disappointment which perhaps supersedes all other considerations. A further rise in United States war bonds was the one incident in harmony with the period.

In the rather unusually long list of separate shares dealt in on the Stock Exchange, net declines were the more numerous, yet the day's net advances much more nearly balanced them than a glance at the table would suggest. Railway stocks as a group were distinctly strong; while most of the changes in price were comparatively unimportant, only two or three lost ground and several advanced a point or more. Aside from the fact, on which professional Wall Street lays much stress, that losses for income tax returns cannot be so easily "established" by selling railway shares at ruling prices as by selling industrial shares, more consideration is evidently being granted to the difference in the position of the two groups of enterprises, as compared with a year ago.

What is particularly to the point, the November earnings of the railways, now in course of publication, are making very different and far more favorable comparisons with 1919 than did those of September and October. Companies which in those months actually reported smaller net receipts than a year ago have a substantial increase to show for November. This result is obtained in most cases through much larger net earnings than in other months since the new rates were effective, and the larger net receipts are a consequence of lighter operating expenses. That is precisely what railway managers had predicted; the retroactive part of the July wage award must now have been pretty much allowed for in the monthly accounts.

The day's weakness in various speculative industrial shares occurred from the same causes and under the same kind of selling as has characterized the market for them all this month. Possibly the passing of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company's dividend, for the first time since 1896, had its effect; though the action was not unexpected and the company's stock declined only a fraction. But the accompanying statement of net profits for the present calendar year is a somewhat striking sidelight on the effect of the falling prices for commodities like copper. Even with the fourth quarterly dividend omitted, the actual deficit after dividends for the year is $4,400,000. Probably the suspension of dividends would have been noted earlier in the year but for belief in the copper trade, as in others, that prices of commodities were bound to recover in the Autumn.

The striking inference from the figures of agricultural exports for November, published yesterday by the Government, is their proof that the whole decrease in last month's export values as compared with 1919 occurred in products of the farm. This is quite contrary to the popular impression, which has been that our export trade was at present being sustained only by grain and cotton. But while November's total exports were $65,000,000 less than in the preceding year, its agricultural exports fell off $49,100,000.

From this it follows that, notwithstanding the lower prices and the financial reaction in foreign importing markets, last month's exports of non-agricultural goods were actually $4,100,000 greater in total value than in November of 1919. Probably the iron and steel trade accounts for most of this. In October, when general conditions were the same, our export of wholly or partly manufactured goods increased $59,000,000 over 1919, and the complete report on that month's trade showed that the textile industry contributed $9,000,000 to this increase, the chemical industry $2,000,000, the automobile industry $10,600,000 and the steel and iron industry $27,800,000.

MONEY.

TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 1920.

Money on call on the Stock Exchange ruled at 7 per cent. all day Tuesday. In time money the market was quoted at previously prevailing quotations, 7½ @ 7½ per cent. on mixed collateral, all dates, and 7½ @ 7½ per cent. on all industrials. The market is quiet, with the demand for new accommodation very light. No changes were reported in either commercial paper or bankers' acceptances. Here, too, business continues quiet and narrow.

Call Loans.

Renewal.	High.	Low.	Last.	Monday's Last.
7	7	7	7	7

Time Loans

Mixed collateral, 60 to 90 days	7½@7½
4, 5 and 6 months	7½@7½
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days	7½@7½
4, 5 and 6 months	7½@7½

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 3 to 6 months	7½@8
Other names, 3 to 6 months	8 @8½

Discount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank.

Commercial paper, 15 days, 7; 16 to 90 days	7
Liberty bonds and Victory notes, 15 days, 6; 16 to 90 days	6
Bankers' acceptances, 15 to 90 days	6

Open Market Rates.

Prime eligible acceptances, on call	6
Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days	6½@6¾
Non-member and private bankers, eligible, 60 to 90 days	6½@6¾
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days	6 @7½

London Market.

Money in London market unchanged at 4½ per cent.; short bills and three months' bills unchanged at 6⅝ per cent. Gold bullion on the London market up 9d at 118s 9d per fine ounce. Mint parity, 85s.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Tuesday's exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $757,058,426; balances, $68,642,654; Federal Reserve Bank's credit balance, $56,636,973; exchanges this day a year ago, $1,220,449,528.

MEXICO TO SETTLE FOR 468 LOST CARS

Pays First Installment of $486,000 Due to American and Canadian Railroads.

INTERCHANGE TO RESUME

New Agreement Provides for Exchange of Equipment on Basis of $1 a Day Rate.

The Mexican Government has accepted the terms of a contract prepared by the American Railway Association covering the loss of American and Canadian freight cars in Mexico during the revolutionary outbreaks in that country, and after Jan. 1, 1921, free interchange of traffic between the United States and Mexico, which has been suspended since Jan. 1, 1919, will be resumed. The Mexican Government has paid the first of four instalments aggregating $486,000 for 468 lost cars, and future interchange of traffic will be made on the basis of the American per diem rate of $1 a car per day. The contract, signed by Francisco Peres, General Director of the Mexican Government Railroad Administration, was received by the American Railway Association yesterday. The following official statement covering the agreement was issued:

"Under this agreement, cars belonging to American and Canadian railroads which were delivered to Mexican railroads prior to Jan. 1, 1918, are to be considered as sold to the Mexican railroads at their cost price less depreciation, with 5 per cent. simple interest from the date of delivery of the cars. All repair bills in connection with such cars are to be cancelled. All Mexican cars upon American railroads are to be returned to Mexico as promptly as possible, the movement being arranged through the Car Service Division of the American Railway Association.

"This movement will be made without any transportation charge, but the Mexican railroads are to pay, without interest, the repair bills due to American or Canadian railroads and for any necessary repairs to enable the cars to return to Mexico. Any Mexican cars destroyed on American railways prior to July 1, 1919, are to be paid for at book value less depreciation, with 6 per cent. simple interest from date of destruction. All per diem charges are to be mutually cancelled. The Mexican railways are to make an initial payment of 25 per cent. within thirty days after the execution of the contract, and to pay the balance in three equal instalments six months apart.

"The sum of 468 American freight cars are involved in this settlement, valued at approximately $388,000, and the estimated interest due to Jan. 1, 1921, is approximately $99,000.

"The Mexican Government has made a first payment of $120,000, and on Jan. 1, 1921, free interchange of traffic between the railways of this country and Mexico will be re-established. Beginning with that date, the National Railways of Mexico will settle with the American railroads on the basis of the American per diem rate of $1 per car per day."

The National Railways of Mexico were suspended from the per diem rules agreement of the American Railway Association when they failed to return cars owned by American railroads and failed to pay per diem charges.

EXPECT McADOO IN MEXICO.

Report He Will Have a Part in Return of Railways to Owners.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 28.—Newspapers of this city give much publicity to the expected arrival here this week of William G. McAdoo, former United States Secretary of the Treasury, who is said to be representing stockholders of the Mexican National Railways.

Some journals assert that Mr. McAdoo will play an important part in the contemplated return of the national lines by the Government to the original owners.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 1920.

Day's Sales.	Monday.	Saturday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
816,338	656,461	Holiday.	1,410,000	933,594

	Same Period		
Year to Date.	1919.	1918.	1917.
220,536,098½	311,041,141	143,360,989	184,596,340

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
23	25	100	Adams Express	22½	22½	22½	22½	+ ½
14½	14⅝	100	Advance Rumely	14½	14⅝	14½	14⅝	+ ⅛
44	45½	200	Do pf	44½	45	44½	45	+ ⅜
24⅝	25	1,000	Ajax Rubber	24⅝	25	24⅝	24⅝	+ ⅜
⅞	1	500	Alaska Gold Mines	⅞	1	⅞	⅞	
¾	1	400	Alaska Juneau	45⅜	45⅜	43⅝	44¼	— ⅝
43⅜	44½	2,200	Allied C. & D. w. i.	27½	28	27½	28	+ 1⅜
27¼	28½	2,500	Allis-Chalmers Mfg	66½	69	66½	68½	+ ¾
68½	69	700	Do pf	54⅜	55	54⅜	54⅜	
54¼	54⅝	2,400	Am. Ag. Chemical	80	80	80	80	
79	80	200	Do pf	37¼	37¼	37¼	37¼	+ ¼
37⅝	39½	100	Am. Beet Sugar	48¼	49¼	48¼	48¼	+ ¼
48	49	500	Am. Bosch Mag	42¾	42¾	41¾	41¾	+ ¼
40	42	200	Am. Brake S. & F	22¾	23¼	22¾	22¾	+ ¾
22¾	23	2,500	American Can	77	77	77	77	+ 1
76	77¾	1,400	Do pf	115¾	117¼	115¾	116	— ⅛
116¾	117¾	1,900	Am. Car & Fdy	16¾	16¾	16	16	
16	16½	900	Am. Cotton Oil	6¾	7	6¾	6¾	
6¾	7¼	1,800	Am. Drug. Synd	120	120	120	120	+ ½
117	120	100	American Express	38½	38½	37¾	38	+ ⅝
93	94¾	900	Am. Hide & L. pf	31½	32¾	31½	32¾	+ 1¼
109	111	1,600	American Tobacco	106¾	107¾	106½	106½	— ½
107¾	108	1,500	Do, Class B	56½	57¼	55¾	56¾	+ ½
56	56¾	8,900	American Woolen	90¼	90¼	89¾	89¾	+ ¼
90½	94	100	Do pf	29	29	28¾	28¾	+ ⅛
28¾	29½	1,400	Am. Writ. Pap. pf	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	
6¾	6¾	400	Am. Zinc, L. & S	31¾	31¾	30¾	31	— ⅛
30¾	31	19,700	Anaconda Copper	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛
2¼	2½	100	Assets Realization	18¾	20¼	18¾	20¼	+ 1½
20	20½	1,050	Atl. Dry Goods	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	— ¼
35	40½	100	Do 2d pf	80½	80½	79¾	79¾	— 1¼
70¾	70¾	7,000	At., T. & S. F	76½	76½	76¼	76¼	— ¼
70¾	76½	700	Do pf	4¾	5¼	4¾	5¼	
5¼	5½	900	Atl., Birm. & At	83	83	83	83	
83	90	100	Atlantic Coast Line	6½	6½	6½	6½	— ¼
6¼	7¼	90	Atlantic Fruit	97	97	93½	93½	— 3½
93	93½	12,000	Atl., Gulf & W. I	50	50	48½	48½	— 1¼
47	48	600	Do pf	14⅝	14⅝	13¾	13¾	— ¾
13¾	15⅝	600	Atlas Tack	8½	8½	8½	8½	— ½
8½	9	1,100	Austin, Nichols	50½	50½	50½	50½	+ ½
9	61	100	Do pf	10	10	9½	9½	— ½
15	30	300	Auto Sales pf	80½	82¾	80½	82¾	+ 2¼
81½	81½	10,100	Baldwin Loco	92	92	92	92	
92	93	100	Do pf	31½	32½	31½	32½	+ ½
32¾	32¾	8,400	Baltimore & Ohio	47½	48	47½	47½	— ¼
47¾	48	700	Do pf	103	103	102¾	102¾	— ¼
101	102¾	400	Barrett Ch.Cn.2 ord	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	
2¾	3	1,000	Bethlehem Motors	52½	52½	50½	52½	+ ½
50	53	800	Bethlehem Steel	53½	53½	52¾	53¼	— ¼
53	53¼	2,900	Beth. Steel, Class B	99½	100	99½	100	+ ½
99½	100	300	Beth. Steel 8% pf	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
3½	3¾	300	Booth Fisheries pf	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ¼
9¼	9¾	1,100	Brook. Rapid Tran	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ¼
6¾	6¾	400	B. R. T. ctfs. of dep	48½	48½	48½	48½	— ½
4	5	100	Brook. Union Gas	47½	47½	47½	47½	
48	48	100	Bruns. Ter. & Ry. S	62	62	62	62	— ¾
60	63	200	Buf., Roch. & Pitts	78	78	78	78	— ¼
78	80	100	Burns Brothers	4	4	3¾	4	
3¾	4	500	Butte Cop. & Zinc	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ¼
8	8¼	900	Butte & Superior	11¾	12	11¾	12	+ ¼
11½	11¾	1,000	Butterick Co	12	12	12	12	
11	11½	400	Caddo Cent. O. & R	58½	58½	58½	58½	
58	58½	2,800	Cal. Packing	4¼	4¼	4	4	
4	4½	1,600	Callahan Zinc	24¾	25¼	24¾	24¾	
24½	25	100	Cal. Petroleum	67	67	67	67	— 1½
66	67½	1,800	Cal. Petroleum pf	42	42	40½	40½	
40¼	41	100	Calumet & Arizona	114¾	114¾	112¾	113	— ¾
113¼	114	1,800	Canadian Pacific	112¾	114	111¾	114	
73	75	100	Case (J. I.) Plow	50	50	50	50	
32	32½	1,700	Central Leather Co	32¾	32¾	31¾	32¼	+ ¼
81¾	82½	800	Central Leather pf	83	83	82	82¾	+ ¼
24¾	25	600	Cerro de Pasco Cop	24¾	25	23¾	25	+ ¼
60¼	61	6,100	Chandler Motor	61¾	62¼	60¾	60¾	— 1½
57¾	58	2,300	Chesapeake & Ohio	57	58	57	57½	+ ½
6	6	100	C. & E. Ill. eq. tr. r	5¼	5¼	4	4	— 1¾
4	6	400	Do pf	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ¼
7¾	7¾	600	Chi. Great Western	17¾	17¾	17	17¾	
17	17¾	1,000	Chi. Gt. Western pf	25¾	25¾	25	25	— ¼
25	25¾	6,700	Chi., M. & St. Paul	39¾	39¾	39	39¼	— ½
39	39½	7,900	Chi., M. & St. P. pf	63¾	63¾	62¼	62¼	— 1½
62¾	62¾	8,600	Chi. & Northwest	100	100	100	100	
100	100	200	Chi. & Northw. pf	61	61	60	60	
60	61	700	Chi. Pneu. Tool	24½	25¼	24	24½	+ ¾
24¾	25	3,500	Chi., R. I. & Pac	65¾	69	65¾	68¾	+ 1½
68¼	68½	1,000	C., R. I. & P. 7% pf	59¾	60¾	59¾	59¾	+ ¾
59	59½	200	C., R. I. & P. 6% pf	59½	59½	59½	59½	
60	100	100	C., St. P., M. & Om	9¾	9¾	8¾	8¾	— ¾
8½	9	9,400	Chile Copper	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ¼
17¾	17¾	3,800	Chino Copper	43¼	43¼	42	42	— 1¼
43	43¾	600	Cluett, Peabody	19¾	19¾	19	19	— ¼
19¼	19½	1,900	Coca-Cola	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	
25¾	28	600	Col. Fuel & Iron	54¾	54¾	54¾	57	+ 2¼
57	57½	3,200	Colum. Gas & Elec	9¾	10	9¾	9¾	— ¼
10	10	3,900	Columbia Graphop	57½	58	57½	57½	— ¼
57	57½	200	Colum. Graphop. pf	75	75	75	75	
50	57	300	Compuc. Tab. Rec	35	35	35	35	
34	36	300	Con. Cigar pf	72½	72½	72½	72½	— ½
70	72½	1,100	Con. Gas	74½	75	74½	75	
74¾	76	6,900	Con. Textile	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	
20	20½	4,300	Continental Can	52	52	52	52	+ ¾
51	54	1,600	Continental Candy	4	4	3¾	4	
3¾	4	2,650	Corn Prod. Refin	64½	65¾	64½	65¼	+ ¾
64½	65	100	Corn Prod. Ref. pf	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	+ ¼
90¾	100	1,200	Cosden & Co	26½	27	26½	26½	— ¾
26½	27	15,400	Crucible Steel	74¼	74¼	71¾	72¾	— 3¼
71½	72	100	Crucible Steel pf	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾	+ ¾
82½	84	4,400	Cuba Cane Sugar	18¾	18¾	17¾	17¾	— ½
17¾	18	3,100	Cuba Cane Sugar pf	57	57¾	56¾	57¾	+ ¾
57½	57¾	1,700	Cuban Am. Sugar	26½	27½	26½	27½	+ ¾
27	27½	600	De Beers Mines	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	— ¼
16¾	19	400	Del., Lack. & West	195	203	193	202	+ 7
205	230	500	Denver & Rio G	¾	1	¾	1	+ ⅛
1½	1¾	2,500	Den. & Rio G. pf	1½	1¾	1½	1¾	+ ⅛
9¾	10	400	Dome Mines	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ½
6	7	200	Dul., S. S. & At. pf	7	7	6¾	6¾	
27	28	100	Durham Hosiery	27	27	27	27	
25	28	400	Eight Horn Coal	16½	16	15¾	16	+ 1
16	17	100	Elk Horn Coal pf	37	37	37	37	
37	41	1,200	Emerson Brant	6	6	6	6	
5	6	100	Emerson Brant. pf	40	40	40	40	
20	50	4,700	Endicott-Johnson	49¾	49¾	48	48	— ½
47¾	48	1,200	Endicott-John. pf	84	84	84	84	— ½
83	84½	500	Erie	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	+ ½
12¾	13	2,900	Erie 1st pf	18¾	18¾	18¼	18¼	— ¼
15½	15¾	900	Erie 1st pf	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ¼
12¾	13¼	300	Erie 2d pf	45¾	45¾	44¾	45	— ¾
45	45½	2,700	Famous Play.-Las	6	6	6	6	+ ⅛
5¾	7	100	Federal M. & S	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ⅜
20	22	200	Fed. M. & S. pf	81	81	81	81	
80	85	100	Fisher Body	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
10¾	10¾	2,000	Fisk Rubber	13	13	12¾	12¾	— ¾
12	12½	1,700	Freeport-Texas	2	2¼	2	2	
2	2½	800	Gaston, Wm. & W	50	50	50	50	
20	20½	1,050	General Am. T. C	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾	— ¾
38	40½	8,800	General Asphalt	118	118	118	118	— ½
112	118	200	Gen.C., Ch.C. c of d	52½	52½	52½	52½	— ½
52½	53	2,900	General Cigar	117¾	118	117¾	117¾	+ ¼
117½	118	10,400	General Electric	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	+ ¼
13½	13¾	300	General Motors	67¾	68	67¾	67¾	
67¼	68	400	General Motors pf	71	71	71	71	
70½	71	1,200	General M. 7% deb	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾	— ¼
58½	59	5,200	General Petroleum	32¼	32	31¾	31¾	— ¼
31½	32¼	400	Geodrich (B.F.) Co	73¾	73¾	73	73	— ¼
70½	71¼	400	Geodrich pf	16	16	16	16	— ¼
17	17¾	4,400	Granby Con	73¼	74	73½	73½	— ¼
73½	73¾	3,800	Great Northern pf	25	25¾	25	25¾	— ¼
25¼	25½	900	Gt. N. ctfs. for O.P	18½	18¾	18¼	18¼	— ¼
18	18¾	900	Greene-Can. Cop	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ¼
11½	11¾	400	Guantanamo Sugar	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ¼
27	28	100	Gulf States Steel	67	67	67	67	— ½
9	10¼	200	Gulf, Mob. & Nor	23½	23½	23	23½	— ¼
22¾	23	500	Gulf, Mob. & N. pf	53	53	52¾	52¾	— ¼
52¾	55	1,000	Haskell & Barker	14¾	14¾	12¾	14¾	+ 2
14	14¾	1,900	Hendee Mfg	49¾	50	48¾	49	— ¼
49½	60	61	Homestake Mining	61	61	60¾	60¾	— 2½
61	63	1,400	Houston Oil	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ¼
10¼	10¾	1,800	Hupp Motor Car	19¾	20	19¾	20	+ ¼
19	21	100	Hydraulic Steel	20	20	20	20	+ ¼
84½	85	1,500	Illinois Central	85¾	85¾	84¾	84¾	— ¼
28½	28¾	6,700	Inspiration Copper	28¼	28¾	28	28¾	+ ¼
3¾	4	800	Interboro Consol	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
7¾	8¾	1,800	Interboro Consol. pf	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ¼
11	11	100	Inter. Agricultural	11	11	11	11	+ ⅛
45	45	100	Inter. Agrl. pf	45	45	45	45	— ½
91¾	92	2,000	Inter. Harv., new	101½	101¾	90	91¾	— ¾
100	100	100	Inter. H. pf., new	101½	101¾	101½	101½	— ¾
11	11¾	800	Inter. Mer. Marine	11¾	11¾	11	11	— ¼
43¾	45½	2,200	Inter. Mer. M. pf	43¾	43¾	43	43¾	— ¼
31¾	33	3,000	Inter. Motor Truck	31	31¾	31	31¾	— ¼
12	13¾	3,400	Inter. Nickel	13	13¾	12¾	12¾	— ¼
43¾	45	1,100	Inter. Paper	43¾	43¾	43	43¾	+ ¾
60¾	61	200	Inter. P.pf.stamp'd	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾	+ ¾
21	21	1,000	Invincible Oil	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ¼
26	27	400	Iron Products	26¾	27¾	26¾	27¾	+ ¾
4½	4¾	4,400	Island Oil & Trans	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	
3	3¾	600	Jewel Tea	3¾	3¾	3	3¾	— ¼
13¾	14	2,100	Jewel Tea pf	13¾	14	13¾	13¾	— ¼
17¾	18½	1,800	Jones Bros. Tea	17¾	18½	17¾	18	— ¼
31¾	32	1,900	Kan. City Southern	31¾	32	31	31¾	— ¼
75½	75¾	200	Kelly Springf. Tire	75½	75¾	75	75	— ¾
¾	1	1,000	Kelly S. Tire 8% pf	¾	1	¾	1	+ ⅛
1¾	2	1,000	Kennecott Copper	15¾	15¾	15	15¾	— ⅛
7	7¼	1,300	Keystone Tire & R	7¼	7¼	7	7¼	— ⅛
48⅝	48¾	800	Lack. Steel	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	— ⅜
37	37	100	Lacede Gas	37	37	37	37	+ 3¼
14	14	200	Lake Erie & West'n	14	14	14	14	— ⅛
25	25	100	Lake Erie & W. pf	25	25	25	25	— ⅛
16¼	16½	200	Lee Rubber & Tire	16¼	16½	16¼	16½	— ⅛
52¾	53¾	2,300	Lehigh Valley	52¾	53¾	52¾	53¾	— ¼
128¾	129½	100	Liggett & Myers	128¾	128¾	128¾	128¾	— ¼
97	99	100	Liggett & Myers pf	98	98	98	98	— ⅛
14½	15¼	2,900	Loews, Inc	14½	15¼	14½	15	— ⅛
9¼	9¾	2,000	Lorl. Inc	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¾	— 2½
23	25	2,000	Loose-Wiles Biscuit	23	25	23	25	— 2½
122¼	123	1,200	Lorillard (P.) Co	122	123	121¾	122½	— 3¼
122½	123	900	Lorillard (P.) Co.pf	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	— 1¼
97½	98	100	Louisville & Nash	96½	98½	97¼	97¾	— 1
97½	98	300	Louisville & Nash	57	57	57	57	— ¼
57	60	100	Mackay Cos. pf	64	64	64	64	— ¾
64	70	300	Manat. Sugar	44	44	43¾	43¾	— ½
42½	44	4,900	Missouri Pacific	16	16	16	16	— ⅛
36½	37	1,900	Missouri Pacific pf	48¾	48¾	48	48	— ¼
48	54	200	Montana Power	14¾	14¾	14¾	14½	+ ¼
16½	17	2,700	Montgomery Ward	25¾	27¾	25¾	26¼	— ¼
26½	27	1,200	Nat. Acme					
45½	46	400	Nat. An. & Ch. Con. ctfs. of deposit	46	46½	45¾	45¾	— ⅛
84½	86	100	Nat. Anil. & Chem. pf Cons. ctfs. of dep	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼	+ ⅛
96	99	600	Nat. Biscuit	99	99	97	97	— 2
25	26	500	Nat. Cloak & Suit	26¼	26½	26	26	— ⅝
	65	100	Nat. Cloak & S. pf	64	64	64	64	— 2¾
3	3	300	Nat. Cond. & Cable	3	3	3	3	— ⅛
46	46	500	Nat. Enam. & St	46	46	45¾	45¾	— ¼
45¾	45¾	500	Nat. En. & St. pf	92	92	92	92	+4
66	66	100	Nat. Lead	67	67	67	67	— ½
99½	100¼	200	Nat. Lead pf	100¼	100¼	100	100	— ½
86½	90	200	Nevada Con. Cop	85	86	84½	85½	— ½
84	84	2,700	N. O., Tex. & Mex	55	56¾	53	55	— 1½
55	57	500	N. Y. Air Brake	73¼	73¾	69	69	— 6½
68	70	2,400	N. Y. Central	69¾	70¾	69¾	69¾	+ ⅛
69¼	69¾	6,900	N. Y. Dock	20	20	20	20	+ ⅛
15	20	50	N. Y. N. H. & H	16¼	16¾	16¼	16¾	+ ⅜
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FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Prices Reactionary at Paris, but Government Bonds Higher.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Old 2½ per cent. consols, 44½; British 5 per cent. war loan, 81⅝; 4½ per cent. war loan, 77.

Rand Mines, 2⅛; De Beers Mining, 13⅜.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Prices were reactionary on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 32 centimes higher at 57 francs 97 centimes; 5 per cent. war loan unchanged at 86 francs 20 centimes.

Exchange on London 16 centimes higher at 50 francs 10 centimes per sovereign; American dollars were quoted at 17 francs 21 centimes, against 17 francs 23½ centimes yesterday.

THIRD AV. RAILWAY DEFICIT.

Shows $100,000 Increase Over 1919 —11 Months' Total $285,100.

The comparative statement of income of the Third Avenue Railway system for November, which was issued yesterday, shows a deficit in place of net income amounting to $81,601, as compared with a deficit in November of last year amounting to $49,496. Total operating revenue for the month was $1,098,260, which was an increase of $94,894 over November, 1919, but this was more than offset by an increase of $122,942 in total operating expenses to $875,546.

Gross income for the month was $139,891, as compared with $175,775 in November of the preceding year, and total deductions were $221,191, as compared with $224,372. For the eleven months ended with November the deficit was $285,108, as compared with $163,008 in the corresponding period of 1919.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 1920.

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Day's sales	$30,690,600	$42,965,000	$27,331,500
Year to date	3,858,982,650	3,727,583,925	2,092,329,000

GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales $1,000.	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chgs.	Closing Bid.	Closing Asked.	Yield.
3,297¼	—Liberty 3½s, 1932-47	90.10	90.10	89.80	89.80	— .60	89.54	89.80	4.05
...	—Liberty 1st 4s, 1932-47	...	...	...	...	...	85.86	86.06	...
340	—Liberty 2d 4¼s, 1927-42	84.34	84.44	84.20	84.30	+ .10	84.10	84.14	...
91	—Liberty 2d 4s, reg.	83.90	83.90	83.90	83.90	...	...	...	...
412	—Liberty 1st conv. 4¼s, 1932-47	85.80	85.98	85.80	85.92	+ .46	85.80	86.00	5.20
4,815	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1927-42	84.50	84.50	84.18	84.28	+ .10	84.26	84.32	5.14
32	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, reg.	84.10	84.10	84.00	84.00	...	...	...	...
10	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1927-42	86.00	86.00	86.00	86.00	+2.24	87.90	...	...
9,488	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1938	87.24	87.40	87.16	87.20	— .06	87.16	87.20	5.28
10	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, reg.	87.10	87.14	87.10	87.10	...	...	...	...
7,078	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-38	84.84	84.98	84.70	84.96	+ .12	84.86	84.90	5.25
29	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg.	84.00	84.36	84.36	84.36	+ .30	...	...	...
2,317	—Victory 4¾s, 1922-23	94.98	95.06	94.92	94.95	+ .08	94.96	95.00	7.00
10	—Victory 4¾s, reg.	94.86	94.86	94.86	94.86	+ .06	...	...	...
2,302	—Victory 3¾s, 1922-23	94.94	95.04	94.92	94.96	+ .02	94.96	95.00	6.06

Following sales are given in lots of $1,000:

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Amer. Water Wks. & Elec. 5s, 1934
Bush Terminal 5s, 1955
Central Ill. Pub. Svc. 5s, 1952
Cities Service "D" 7s, 1966
Continental Motors 7s, 1925
Grand Rapids Gas & Lt. 5s, 1939
Iowa Public Service 6s, 1933
Magnolia Petroleum 6s, 1937
Northern Ohio Trac. & Light 5s, 1956
Rio de Janeiro 6s, 1928-31
Second Avenue Traction 5s, 1934
United Light of Pa. 6s, 1937
Valparaiso Lighting 5s, 1925
Cleveland, Akron & Col. 5s, 1927
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Grand Trunk Pacific B. L. 4s, 1939
Grand Trunk Western 4s, 1950
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Western Penn. cons. 4s, 1928
Grand Trunk Western 4s, 1950
Grand Trunk Pacific 3s, 1962
Illinois Cent. R.R. Securi. 4s, '52
Penn. R. R. Real Estate 4s, 1923
Mason City & Fort D. 4s, 1955
Rio Grande Junction 1st 5s
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RAILWAY EXPRESS CONTRACT APPROVED

Interstate Commerce Commission Gives Its Assent to New Arrangement With Roads.

DIVISION OF THE PROFITS

Three Commissioners Oppose the Contract as Not in the Public Interest.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Authorization was granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission to the American Railway Express Company today to enter into contracts with the railroads over which the company operates. The contract will supplant existing contracts between the railroads and the Wells-Fargo, Adams, American and Southern Express Companies, the permanent merger of which into the American Railway Express Company was approved recently by the commission.

Under the old system of separate contracts between the carriers and the companies, the carriers received a certain amount from each company without respect to the amounts paid by other companies. The new contract, however, will provide:

"After making the deduction for expenses by groups the balance remaining is to be distributed as follows: Two and one-half per cent. to the express company and the remainder among the railroads in the group executing this form of contract in the proportion that the gross express transportation for the month earned on each railroad bears to the gross transportation on all such railroads."

The contract also will specify that should the revenues after deductions for expenses exceed 6 per cent., the excess shall be divided half and half between the company and the carrier until it reaches a 10 per cent. maximum, when it shall be divided one-fourth to the express companies and three-fourths to the carriers.

The commission stated that such a contract would not interfere with competition and was compatible with the public interests. Commissioners Eastman, Aitchison, Woolley and McChord, however, dissented from the majority opinion, saying that such a contract proposed would not be in the public interest and that it would cause the railroads to give the express companies a guarantee against loss rather than insuring the roads a fair return.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yld.
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 21, '22	98	99½	...
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 21, '23	90	93	7.75
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 21, '24	87½	91½	7.75
Am. Gas. Oil.	6	Sep. 2, '23	82	86	10.40
Am. T. & T.		Oct., 1922	93¾	94	9.30
Am. T. & T.	6	Feb., 1924	91	91¾	9.20
Am. Wat'd Co.		Dec., 1928	62½	64½	6.96
Am. Tobacco.	7	Nov., 1921	99¾	100	7.00
Am. Tobacco.	7	Nov., 1922	99¾	100	7.00
Am. Tobacco.	7	Nov., 1923	99½	100	7.00
Anaconn. Co.	6	Jan., 1920	99¾	99½	9.20
Anacon. Co.	7	Jan., 1920	87½	88¼	9.10
A. A. O., Ltd.	7½	Apr., 1925	98¾	99½	7.85
Arm. & Co.	6.7	July 15, '30	94	95	7.75
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July 15, '23	94½	94¾	9.40
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July 15, '23	96½	97¼	9.00
Can. Pac. Ry.	6	Mar. 2, '24	91¾	92½	8.50
Col. Graph. Co.					
8%		Aug., 1923	83	89	11.00
Cumby Pack.	7	July 15, '23	96	99¼	9.05
Fed. Sug. R.		Nov., 1924	89	93	8.00
Gen. Arg. R.	6	Feb., 1927	72	76	11.70
G. R. I. & P.	6	Feb., 1922	95½	95½	16.80
G. G. C. & St. L. Ry. Co.	6	July, 1929	80½	90½	7.50
The B. F. Goodrich Co. cv.	7	Apr., 1925	79¼	80¼	12.90
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1923	97	98	7.30
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1922	94½	96	8.90
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1923	94	95½	8.00
Hocking Val.	4	Mar., 1924	80	81	8.90
Int. Rap. Tr.	7	Sep., 1921	96¾	98	...
Kan. C. Ter.	4	Nov., 1923	90	93	8.70
Kennecott C.	7	Feb., 1930	87	88½	8.90
Laclede Gas.		Jan., 1929	82	85½	9.60
Lig. & Myers.	6	Dec., 1921	97	97½	8.90
Nat. U. Ass.	10		1930	90	96	8.60
Penn. Co.	4½	June15, '21	96¾	98¾	7.50
Phila. Co.	6		1922	92	93	13.75
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1921	100¾	100¾	6.80
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1922	100	100	7.00
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1923	99¾	100	7.00
Pub. S. Corp. of N. J.	cv. 7	Mar., 1921	85	87	...
R. J. Rylds. T.	8	Aug., 1921	96	99¾	8.40
Sears, R. & Co.	7	Oct. 15, '22	93¾	94¾	10.10
Sears, R. & C.	7	Oct. 15, '22	93	93½	9.50
Sears, R. & C.	7	Oct. 15, '23	93	94	9.50
Stnc. O. O. C.	7	May 15, '25	89¾	97½	11.50
Selvay & Co.	5	Oct., 1927	89¾	90¾	8.40
Southern Ry.	6	Mar., 1922	92	92½	11.60
S'west B. T.	7	Apr., 1925	90	92	9.20
St. P. Un. Dep., guaran.	5½	Dec. 15, '23	93½	95	8.25
Stand. Oil Co. (Cal.)		Jan., 1931	99¾	100	7.00
Swift & Co.	6	Aug. 15, '21	97¾	97¾	8.90
Swift & Co.	7	Oct. 15, '25	93½	94¼	8.40
Utah Sec. Cor.	6	Sep. 15, '22	78	80	...
West'n Elec. Co. conv.	6	Apr., 1925	96¾	97¼	7.70

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

Quoted on a Percentage Basis.

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1920-'27	4½	...	5.00
Bethlehem Steel	1920-'30	7	...	6.00
Buff., R. & Pitts.	1920-'36	4½@5-6	...	7.25
Canadian Pacific	1920-'31	4½@6	...	7.50
Ches. & Ohio	1920-'30	6½	...	6.50
Chicago & N. W.	1920-'22	4½	...	7.10
Chi., R. I. & P.	1920-'27	4½@5	...	8.00
C., St. L. & N. O.	1920-'24	5	...	7.25
C., C., C. & St. L.	1920-'29	5 @6	...	7.12
Delaware & Hud.	1922	4½	...	7.50
Erie Railroad	1920-'27	4½@5	...	8.25
Grace Steamship	1920-'24	6	...	7.87
Illinois Central	1920-'27	4½@5	...	7.10
Illinois Central	1923-'35	7	...	6.85
Int. Prod. S'ship	1920-'26	7	...	8.00
Louis. & Nash.	1920-'23	5	...	7.10
Michigan Central	1920-'32	5 @6	...	7.00
Minn. & St. L.	1920-'27	5 @6	...	7.75
Mo., Kan. & T.	1920-'24	5	...	8.25
New York Cen.	1920-'32	4½@5	...	7.25
New York Cen.	1921-'33	7	...	7.12
Norf. & West.	1920-'24	4½	...	7.00
Northern Pacific	1921-'30	7	...	7.15
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1920-'29	4½@5-6	...	...
Pac. Fruit Exp.	1920-'25	7	6.90	6.45
Pa. Gen. Freight	1920-'23	4 @4½	7.00	6.40
Pitts. & L. Erie	1921-'35	6½	7.00	6.40
Reading Co.	1920-'27	4½	7.10	6.40
Seaboard Air L.	1920-'27	4½@5-6	8.25	7.25
Standard Refining	1920-'31	6	8.50	8.00
Southern Pacific	1920-'25	4½	7.10	6.40
Southern Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.87	6.40
Southern Ry.	1920-'28	4½@5	7.00	6.62
Union Pacific	1924-'35	6	6.85	6.40
Virginian Ry.	1920-'30	6	7.50	6.75
White Oil Corp.	1920-'23	6	8.50	7.50

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS

SAN FRANCISCO.

COMSTOCKS.			
Alpha	....	Dividend	.02
Andes	.45	East Divide	.02
Best & Belcher	.12	Extension	.27
Caledonia	.48	Florence	.04
Challenge	....	Gold Reef	.04
Confidence	1.70	Grimes	.02
Con. Virginia	3.20	Hartmill	.15
Gould & Curry	.07	Hasbrouck	.02
Hale & Norcross	.28	Kernick	.06
Imperial	.70	Myra	.04
Jacket	.06	Verdi	.02
Mexican	.21	Victory	.04
Ophir	.58	West	.03
Overman	.20	Western	.09
Potosi	.06	Yellow Jacket	.04
Savage	.09	GOLDFIELDS.	
Seg. Belcher	.10	Booth	.02
Scorpion	.08	Consolidated	.08
Sierra Nev.	.11	Crackerjack	.04
Union	.33	Florence	.12
Utah	.03	Fraction	.02
TONOPAH.		Jumbo Ext.	.04
Belmont	1.25	Kawanas	.03
Cash Boy	.03	Lone Star	.03
Jim Butler	.15	Silver Pick	.05
Mac. Crescent	.04	Spearhead	.03
Midway	.12	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
Monarch	.03	Arrowhead	.01
North Star	.05	Black Mammoth	.03
Rescue	.20	Broken Hills	.19
Tonopah Ext.	1.20	Bullyhacker	.05
West End	.04	Comet	.01
West Tonopah	.04	Crocuss	.41
DIVIDES.		Holly	1.47½
Alta	.03	Red Mountain	.15
Belcher	.05	Red Mt. Fairview	.41
Belcher Ext.	.02	Simon	.50
Brougher	.15	Sterling	.02
Divide Tonopah	.11	White Caps	.04

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Creasus	1½	1¾	Isabella	2	4
Doctor	1½	2½	Mary McK.	2	3
Elkton	2	3½	Portland	53	58
El Paso	6	7	U. Gold M.	9	10½
Gold Cycle	8½	9	Vindicator	13	15
Granite	7	9	Stove Nicol	3	6½

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Irregular Changes in European Rates—Further Recovery in Exchange on Canada.

Exchange on the various European markets moved with much irregularity yesterday. Sterling advanced 1⅝ cents and closed with a net gain of ⅝ cent. The rate on Denmark and Norway rose about ¼ cent per crown and Spanish exchange was firmer. But rates on France, Italy, Holland, Belgium and Germany were lower and Greek exchange fell from 7.10 to 7.03.

A decline from 48⅝ cents per yen to 48⅜ occurred in the Japanese exchange market and the Brazilian rate declined from 14⅝ cents to 14½. The rate on Montreal advanced again, reaching 85.8 cents, as against 85.4 Monday and 83.9 at last week's low level.

TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 1920.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Fidal.	Monday's Final.
LONDON	3.50⅝	3.40⅜	3.40⅝	3.49
PARIS	5.94	5.78	5.81½	5.84
ROME	3.35	3.32	3.34	3.36
AMSTERDAM	31.30	31.20	31.20	31.25
BERLIN	1.37	1.36	1.37	1.38
MADRID	13.15	13.09	13.06	12.98

CLOSING RATES.

Parity of exchange is given as reported by the United States Mint, except in countries with a silver standard, where parity fluctuates with the price of silver.

Europe.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅔ per sovereign.			
Demand	3.40⅝	3.51½	3.75⅞
Cables	3.50⅝	3.51½	3.76⅛
Com., 30 days	3.44¼	3.49¾	3.70⅛
Com., 90 days	3.42¼	3.44½	3.63½
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	5.81¼	5.90¾	9.19
Cables	5.82	5.91	9.20
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.			
Demand	3.34	3.41	7.58
Cables	3.35	3.42	7.54
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	6.12	6.22	9.21
Cables	6.13	6.23	9.22
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	1.37	1.39	2.06
Cables	1.38	1.39½	2.07
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.26	.26	.80
Cables	.27	.27	.87
CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	1.16	1.16	1.93
Cables	1.17	1.17	2.00
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	15.55	15.15	19.10
Cables	15.60	15.20	19.30
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.			
Demand	2.41	2.41	3.20
Cables	2.46	2.46	3.25
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.			
Demand	7.05	7.08	15.20
Cables	7.10	7.05	15.30
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	31.20	31.25	37.37½
Cables	31.32	31.35	37.50
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.20	.20	...
Cables	.21	.23	...
JUGOSLAVIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.73	.73	1.05
Cables	.74	.74	1.10
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	15.50	14.95	20.25
Cables	15.55	15.00	20.40
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	.18	.17	1.20
Cables	.18¼	.17¼	1.22

Europe.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.			
Demand	1.20	1.14	2.20
Cables	1.20	1.15	2.25
SERBIA: Belgrade—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	2.80	2.89	4.80
Cables	2.94	2.94	4.85
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.			
Demand	13.08	12.91	19.05
Cables	13.05	12.93	19.45
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	19.70	19.70	21.35
Cables	19.80	19.75	21.50
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	15.14	15.22	17.70
Cables	15.17	15.25	17.78

Far East.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
CHINA—Cents per silver dollar (or Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking			
Hongkong, demand	56.25	56.25	94.50
Hongkong, cables	56.35	56.35	95.00
Peking, cables	70.00	70.00	176.00
Shanghai, demand	72.50	72.50	164.00
Shanghai, cables	73.00	73.00	164.50
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.			
Demand	26.00	26.00	46.00
Cables	26.50	26.50	46.50
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS — Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.			
Demand	48.25	48.50	49.00
Cables	48.75	48.90	49.25
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	32.50	32.00	....
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.			
Demand	48.375	48.75	50.125
Cables	48.50	48.875	50.375

South America.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
ARGENTINA—Par 42.44c per Arg. paper dol.			
Demand	38.375	34.25	43.125
Cables	38.50	34.375	43.25
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.			
Demand	14.125	14.125	27.75
Cables	14.25	14.25	27.875

Canada.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
MONTREAL—Par 100c per Canadian dollar.			
Demand	85.3	84.0	91.9

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows: Par 51.40 cents per ruble:

	Bid.	Asked.
10c ruble notes, per ruble	.50	.60
20c ruble notes, per ruble	.42	.47½

SUBSCRIPTION RIGHTS.

	Rights Expire.	Yesterday's Bid.	Yesterday's Ask.	Monday's Bid.
Corn Exch. Bank	Feb. 3	42	44	43
Detroit Edison	Jan. 10	...	...	⅛
General Electric	Jan. 29	3¼	3⅝	3⅝
Home Insurance	Feb. 1	165	170	165
Lone Star Gas	Jan. 20	...	...	⅛
Mexican Eagle Oil	Jan. 31	8	9	8
Nat. Park Bank	Feb. 3	70	75	70
Pacific Development	Jan. 10	...	...	⅛
Shaw (W. W.)		16	18	16
So. N. E. Tel.	Jan. 12	...	...	⅛
Southern Pacific	Mar. 1	23¾	24	23½
Swan & Finch	Mar. 1	...	...	½
Tidewater Oil	Jan. 19	13⅝	13⅞	13⅝
Un. Zinc Smelt. Co.	Jan. 6	...	...	½

METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Asked.	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Asked.
Antimony	$5.25	$5.50	$5.25	$5.50
Quicksilver	50.00		50.00	
Aluminium	22.00	23.00	23.00	25.00
Iron, No. 2	32.75		32.75	

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market at 13¾, 30 days.

London quotations were:

	Yesterday. £	s.	d.	*Friday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	71	0	0	72	5	0
Copper, futures	73	0	0	73	10	0
Tin, spot	200	0	0	198	0	0
Tin, futures	205	15	0	203	0	0
Spelter, spot	24	0	0	22	10	0
Spelter, futures	26	0	0	24	12	6
Lead, spot	21	10	0	21	10	0
Lead, futures	22	15	0	22	15	0

*Holiday Monday.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
City of Berne 8s	91	95½
City of Christiania 8s	92½	94½
City of Zurich 8s	94	94¾
Argentine 5s		71¾
Belgium 6s, 1921	99½	...
Belgium 6s, 1925	86	91
Belgium 7½s	94½	95
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1921	98¾	98¾
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1921	98½	99¾
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1926	98	99
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1929	88	88½
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	81½	81¾
Chinese Government 5s	38	38½
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	73¼	77
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1949	...	81
Republic of Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	80	81
Dominican Republic 5s	...	72½
City of Lyons 6s	75	76
City of Marseilles 6s	...	...
City of Bordeaux 6s	75	77½
City of Copenhagen 5½s	73	73½
French Government 8s	99½	100
City of Paris 6s	102¼	...
Government of Switzerland 8s	...	102
Japanese 4½s	75¾	75¾
Japanese 4½s, second series	75¼	75¾
Japanese 4s	53½	53¾
City of Tokio 5s	42	45
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1921	97½	98
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1922	94¾	94¾
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1929	86	86¼
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1937	83¾	83
United States of Mexico 5s	39½	39½
United States of Mexico 4s	28¼	28½
Italy 6½s	79	83

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, c. 1930	101	...	Pan 3s, c. 1961	90	...
4s, c. 1925	106	...	P I 4s	74	81½
Pan 3s r. 1961	89	...	P I 4s	76	81½

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Air Red	32½	34	Assoc Oil	88	89
Al Ref	870	950	Atl Ref	870	950
Do pf	104½	106	Do pf	104½	106
Auto Sales	2	4	Auto Sales	2	4
Baldwin Loco	35½	36	B'dwin, A	35½	36
Do pf	34½	35	Do, B	34½	35
Bay State Gas	22	24½	Bay Loath	22	24½
Do pf	60	63	Do pf	60	63
Barrett Co			Barrett Co		
pf cfts	98	103	pf cfts	98	103
Batop	¾	⅞	Batop	¾	⅞
Beth Steel Co	25	...	B'th Cr'k	25	...
Beth S 7% pf	90	95	Beth S 7% pf	90	95
Booth Fish pf	...	28	Booth Fish pf	...	28
Brown Bros pf	75	85	B'klyn Ed	81	90
Brown Sh	35	36	Brown Sh	35	36
Do pf	89	90	Do pf	...	90
Buff & Susq pf	72	...	B. R. & P.	54	56
Do pf	...	85	pf	85	105
Burns Bros	...	89	Buff & S.	72	...
Do pf	97	105	Do pf	...	94½
Bush Ter	85	95	Burns Bros	...	89
Can Southern	40	...	pf	97	105
Case Plow	5¼	8½	Bush Ter	...	85
Do 2d pf	50	60	Can So	40	...
C R R of N J	187	220	Case Plow	5¼	8½
C'lain-teed	26	27	Do 2d pf	50	60
Do 1st pf	78½	85	C R R of N J	187	220
Do 2d pf	67	75	C'lain-teed	26	27
Chi & Alt	7½	7¾	Do 1st pf	78½	85
Do pf	9½	15	Do 2d pf	67	75
Chi, St. P. M & Om pf	85	95	Chi & Alt	7½	7¾
C. C. C. & St. L	55	46½	Do pf	9½	15
Do pf	58	60	Chi, St. P. M & Om pf	85	95
Col & So	24	26	C. C. C. & St. L	55	46½
Do 1st pf	48	53	Do pf	58	60
Do 2d pf	40	50	Col & So	24	26
Con Cigar	52½	53	Do 1st pf	48	53
Cont C pf	96¾	100	Do 2d pf	40	50
Cont Ins	63	68	Con Cigar	52½	53
Corn Prod.	...	57	Cont C pf	96¾	100
Am Prod pf	92	95	Cont Ins	63	68
Day Chem	25½	28	Corn Prod	...	57
D & Co pf	32	40	Am Prod pf	92	95
Del & Hud	90½	97½	Day Chem	25½	28
Det Ed	90	100	D & Co pf	32	40
Det U Ry	...	79	Del & Hud	90½	97½
Dul S Tra	...	17	Det Ed	90	100
D, S S & A	...	48	Det U Ry	...	79
A	3½	4½	Dul S Tra	...	17
Dur H pf	80	82	Fairbanks	...	48
Elec S B	80	95	Fisher Body	...	...
E Kodak	485	505	pf	97	107
Do pf	100	103	Gen Ch pf cfts	84	90
Erie & P	45	55	Gen Cig	82	85
Fam P pf	71	73	Do d pf	79	82
Fairbanks	...	48	Gen Asp pf	76½	77
Fisher Body	...	...	Gray & Dv	8½	10
pf	97	107	Hskin Elec	10	15
Gen Ch pf cfts	84	90	Hillerman	60	70½
Gen Cig	82	85	Il C I	55	...
Do d pf	79	82	Indiahoma	5½	6
Gen Asp pf	76½	77	Indian Ref	12	14
Gray & Dv	8½	10	Int Mer Tr	...	...
Hskin Elec	10	15	1st pf	70	72
Hillerman	60	70½	Do 2d pf	52	57
Il C I	55	...	Int N pf	70	80
Indiahoma	5½	6	Int Pa pf	85	105
Indian Ref	12	14	Int Salt	36¾	...
Int Mer Tr	...	...	Iowa Cent	6	10
1st pf	70	72	K C, Ft S & M	56	60
Do 2d pf	52	57	Kan C So pf	42	45¼
Int N pf	70	80	Kayser(J)	...	...
Int Pa pf	85	105	ex div	63	75
Int Salt	36¾	...	Do 1st pf	96	120
Iowa Cent	6	10	Kelly Sp T pf	65	78
K C, Ft S & M	56	60	Kelsey Wh	35½	38¾
Kan C So pf	42	45¼	Do pf	70	82
Kayser(J)	...	...	K & D M	4	10
ex div	63	75	Do pf	20	90
Do 1st pf	96	120	Kress(S H)	90	135
Kelly Sp T pf	65	78	L & M	3,950	...
Kelsey Wh	35½	38¾	L W H 1st pf	89	...
Do pf	70	82	Do 2d pf	96	106
K & D M	4	10	Mah Coal	550	700
Do pf	20	90	M'Kay Cos	35½	97
Kress(S H)	90	135	Mallinson	3	11
L & M	3,950	...	Do pf	45	53¼
L W H 1st pf	89	...	Man Bch	½	2
Do 2d pf	96	106	Man S pf	...	93
Mah Coal	550	700	Marlin R	10¼	15
M'Kay Cos	35½	97	Mex M 1st pf	3½	5¾
Mallinson	3	11	Do 2d pf	...	3¾
Do pf	45	53¼	M Dep Sts pf	94	97
Man Bch	½	2	Mex C pf	55	57
Man S pf	...	93	Mich Cent	80	...
Marlin R	10¼	15	M. St P & S S M pf	68	80
Mex M 1st pf	3½	5¾	Do 1	54	56
Do 2d pf	...	3¾	Mon P pf	86	94
M Dep Sts pf	94	97	Mor & Ess	60	...
Mex C pf	55	57	Mullins B	19¾	20½
Mich Cent	80	...	Do pf	74	...
M. St P & S S M pf	68	80	N, C & St L	90	107½
Do 1	54	56	Nat B pf	103½	107
Mon P pf	86	94	Nat Rys of	7	14
Mor & Ess	60	...	Do 2d pf	4½	5
Mullins B	19¾	20½	N Y, C & St L	51½	53
Do pf	74	...	Do 1st pf	56	62
N, C & St L	90	107½	Do 2d pf	57	65
Nat B pf	103½	107	N Y D pf	39¾	41¾
Nat Rys of	7	14	N, L & W	...	...
Do 2d pf	4½	5	West	81	88
N Y, C & St L	51½	53	Norf So	9½	10
Do 1st pf	56	62	N & W pf	90	97
Do 2d pf	57	65	Ohio F S	43	50
N Y D pf	39¾	41¾	Orph Circ	24	24½
N, L & W	...	...	Otis Elev	110	125
West	81	88	Do pf	90	98
Norf So	9½	10	Otis Stl pf	70	...
N & W pf	90	97	Owens B pf	...	100
Ohio F S	43	50	Pac Coast	18	30
Orph Circ	24	24½	Do 1st pf	60	100
Otis Elev	110	125

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ANACONDA COMPANY PASSES $1 DIVIDEND

Lack of Export Demand, Low Prices and Reduced Output Cause the Action.

INCOME IS SHARPLY CUT

Deficit This Year Reduces Surplus From $60,479,467 to $56,077,358, Report Shows.

The Directors of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company passed yesterday the dividend of $1 a share due on the stock at this time. The action was not unexpected in the financial district, rumors that a passing of the dividend was probable having been in circulation recently. The action of the company, it was held, merely reflected the unfavorable position in which the copper industry has been placed during all of this year and which has become accentuated in the last few months by a sharp decline in the price of the metal. During this last six months demand has been meagre and operations recently have been further curtailed.

The following statement was issued in explanation of the elimination of the dividend.

"The Directors of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company have decided that, on account of the prevailing conditions in the metal market, no action should be taken on the dividend. Lack of demand for export, low market prices and reduced output, due to curtailed operations resulting in increased cost of production, are factors which combined have decreased the earning power of the company during the year just closing."

The decrease in earnings referred to in the foregoing statement is conclusively shown in an estimated income account for the current year. In this, net income after depreciation, interest and losses on the sale of Liberty bonds and foreign Government notes was $2,591,820, as compared with $5,103,641 in the preceding year. The latter item, however, was not called to bear a writing off of losses on Government securities.

It is shown by the income account that net profits were inadequate to the paying of dividends for the full period of 1920; in fact, that even the disbursement of dividends to the amount of $2,993,750 brought about a deficit of $4,405,030, and had the quarterly dividend due yesterday been declared the deficit would have amounted to $6,733,-186. The deficit in the report of 1919, after payment of dividends, was $4,221,-858.

In consequence of the deficit this year, surplus has been reduced from $60,479,-467 to $56,077,358. The report states that the company has, after providing for current obligations, in cash and in finished metals, upon the basis of the contract price for the metals sold but not delivered, and at the cost of production for its unsold stocks, $34,610,209.

A comparison of the figures in this year's tentative report and those of last year's annual is shown in the following table:

	1920.	1919.
Net profit	$2,591,820	$5,103,641
Dividends	6,985,750	6,825,000
Surplus	56,077,358	60,479,467

The dividend rate of $4 a year was inaugurated on May 24 last year, when the quarterly disbursement was reduced from $2 to $1. During 1918 the rate was $4 a year, and in 1917 the payments were $4.80, the largest disbursement that 1916 the company paid $7 a share, and from 1906 to 1915, inclusive, $2 a share, with the exception of $2.50 in 1914, $3 in 1913 and $2.25 in 1912.

VERMONT BANKER GETS 4 YEARS' HARD LABOR

Frank G. Howland of Barre Pleads Guilty to Taking $15,480 of Bank's Funds.

BARRE, Vt., Dec. 28.—A sentence of four to seven years at hard labor in the State prison was imposed today on Frank G. Howland, 50 years old, President of the Barre Savings Bank and Trust Company, after he had pleaded guilty to embezzlement of the bank's funds. The charges on which he was arrested set his thefts at $25,980, but when Howland objected to an item of $10,500 his admission of guilt was accepted on the four other counts, aggregating $15,480.

Howland suffered a partial collapse when sentence was pronounced. He had asked that he be fined instead of imprisoned, so that he might be able to assist in straightening out the affairs of the institution, with which he had been connected for years and which was closed five weeks ago as a result of his thefts.

He said he had not profited by his manipulation of the funds, which had covered a period of four years. As tradespeople failed to meet their obligations he took funds from the bank's general account to cover losses on their loans.

RAISES "OPEN SHOP" ISSUE.

Employer Appeals to Kansas Court of Industrial Relations.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 28.—The question of the "open shop" is before the Kansas Court of Industrial Relations, it was announced today. Application of the Fort Scott Sorghum-Syrup Company of Fort Scott for abrogation of its contract with the local union of the International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers is the first case brought by employers under the Industrial Court act.

The Industrial Court act specifically recognizes the right of labor unions to bargain collectively, but also recognizes "the right of every person to make his own choice of employment and to make and carry out fair, just and reasonable contracts of employment."

The Fort Scott company states that it desired to operate only one of its five boilers during the slack season, and to man it with the chief engineer and his assistant, but that the union insisted the company must retain its regular firemen.

JERSEY TEACHERS' CLAIMS.

Ask $1,200 Minimum and Voice in School Affairs at Conference.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 28.—Teachers in New Jersey schools will demand a voice in the establishment of school courses if the plans of the convention of the New Jersey Teachers Association are carried out. They deny that there is any move toward educational sovietism, but insist that working members are able to give first-class advice.

The association has favored a minimum salary of $1,200 a year for all New Jersey teachers, and efforts to have legislation passed to this effect will be made at the coming session of the Legislature. The teachers also favor the appointment of a State salary schedule of annual increases based on the length of time they have served.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.
YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
25 railroads	52.07	51.16	51.56	+ .36
25 industrials	79.48	78.24	78.87	- .55
50 stocks	65.86	64.79	65.18	- .09

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
Dec. 27	65.55	64.68	65.27	— .55
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 24	66.83	65.42	65.82	— .79
Dec. 23	66.75	64.44	66.61	+2.27
Dec. 22	65.08	62.70	64.34	+ .14
Dec. 21	66.05	63.04	63.87	- 1.89

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920.	79.72	Dec. 2	62.70	Dec. 22	65.18
1919	86.46	Dec. 29	66.10	Dec. 12	69.49
1918	76.92	Dec. 11	71.62	Dec. 28	73.80
1917	80.39	Dec. 21	67.46	Dec. 29	68.85
1916	99.26	Dec. 4	86.25	Dec. 21	89.32

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920.	94.05	Apr. 8	62.72	Dec. 22	65.18
†1919.	99.39	Nov. 3	69.75	Jan. 21	69.49

Full Years.

1919.	99.39	Nov. 3	69.75	Jan. 21	69.49
1918.	93.16	Nov. 12	64.15	Feb. 1	73.80
1917.	99.47	Jan. 3	67.46	Dec. 29	68.85
1916.	102.51	Nov. 21	80.91	Apr. 25	89.32

BONDS.
YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		Net Change from Day, Month, Year.
40 issues	87.08	—.15 —3.07 —4.65

DAILY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

Dec. 27	87.21	+.36	Dec. 17	87.76	—.16
Dec. 25	Holiday.		Dec. 16	87.94	—.12
Dec. 24	86.85	+.28	Dec. 15	87.97	+.15
Dec. 23	86.63	+.09	Dec. 14	87.76	+.19
Dec. 22	86.72	—.38	Dec. 13	87.63	—.51
Dec. 21	87.10	—.16	Dec. 11	88.14	—.26
Dec. 20	87.29	—.23	Dec. 10	88.24	—.14
Dec. 18	87.40	—.20	Dec. 9	88.40	—.41

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920.	72.14	Oct. 21	60.57	May 21	67.08
†1919.	79.05	June 3	71.65	Oct. 18	71.71

Full Years.

1918.	79.66	June 3	71.65	Dec. 18	72.03
1918.	82.22	Nov. 12	75.40	Sep. 27	75.79
1917.	89.49	Jan. 20	74.24	Dec. 20	78.89

*To date. †To corresponding date last year.

OPPOSES THE DIVISION OF NEW ENGLAND LINES

Expert Tells Commerce Commission One-Group System Should Be Preserved.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—New England railroads must be kept in one group for financial reasons, W. J. Cunningham, a railroad expert, told the Interstate Commerce Commission today at resumption of the hearings into the redivision of freight rates between carriers east and west of the Hudson River.

Mr. Cunningham, who made a study of the New England situation at the request of the carriers, said under cross-examination that he could see no reason for breaking the New England group into northern and southern sections and joining them to other railroad divisions outside of that territory. He argued that the New England carriers were interlocked by historical, financial and geographical considerations and should not be broken apart.

The commission was told by Mr. Cunningham that "four out of the eight carriers in New England" showed a freight loss at present, but if the Grand Trunk in New England were considered a part of the parent line in Canada and the Central New England a part of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, to which it actually belongs, then but two roads would show a loss.

Mr. Cunningham added that if the Boston & Albany road were considered a part of the New England group, the New England carriers as a class would show a much higher freight earning capacity.

Testifying as to wage costs Mr. Cunningham said that the average local haul in New England was 7.3 miles while in trunk line territory it was 9 miles and that the wage cost was 50 cents a train mile in New England, as compared with 56 cents on trunk lines.

George M. Wood, General Freight Agent of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, traced the course of the development of the present system of freight divisions and gave the commission figures to show that a great inequality existed between New England interchanged rates and those prevailing in other divisions.

WANTS ITEMS FROM WILSON.

Gould Again Asks What He Spent from $150,000,000 War Fund.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Representative Norman J. Gould of New York today renewed his efforts to obtain a more definite accounting of the money expended by President Wilson during the war out of the $150,000,000 appropriated by Congress for the national security and defense and placed at the President's disposal. Mr. Gould said that the reports already made to Congress failed to give satisfactory details of the expenditures, which, he believes, should now be forthcoming.

Mr. Gould's resolution reads:

"Resolved, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, requested, if not incompatible with the public interests, to furnish the House of Representatives with an itemized statement showing disbursements and allocation of all sums allotted by him to the various departmental branches of the Government, to any special commission or committee, or to any individual, from the $100,000,000 appropriation authorized in the Deficiency Appropriation act approved April 20, 1918, and from the appropriation of $50,000,000 authorized in the Sundry Civil act approved July 1, 1918, which were to be expended at his discretion for the national security and defense."

ADVISES PRESIDENT TO SIGN.

Commerce Board Favors Bill Enabling Railroad Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President Wilson was advised by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to sign the bill recently passed by Congress amending the Transportation act so as to defer until Jan. 1, 1923, operation of Section 10 of the Clayton Anti-Trust act. The recommendation by the commission, to which the President referred the bill, was understood to have been by a vote of 6 to 4.

The Anti-Trust act section which would be suspended prohibits railroads purchasing equipment and other supplies from concerns in which the roads are interested except with approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

W. H. Johnston, President of the International Association of Machinists, recently requested the President to veto the amendment, declaring it "simply legalizes a great steal from the American public."

ACCEPTS HARBOR COMPACT.

Leader of Pilots Says Organization Will Abide by Agreement.

The danger of a serious tie-up of harbor shipping by the threatened strike of marine workers was diminished last evening when President Allen O. Howells, President of the Masters, Mates and Pilots Association, said that his organization would abide by the agreement reached last week with the independent boat owners. The report which credited the officials of this organization with being ready to go into the strike with the Harbor Boatmen's Union was denied by Mr. Howells.

The Boat Owners Association will meet tomorrow afternoon to consider the action of the marine workers who refuse to sign the 1921 agreement and threaten to strike on the first of the year.

B. & O. BENEFITED BY COAL PRIORITY

Operating Revenues for November Gain $7,933,890 Over Same Month Last Year.

MAINLY DUE TO I. C. C. ORDERS

Offset in Part by Increase in Operating Expenses—Larger Earnings Shown by Other Roads.

The November earnings statement of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, as submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission, has been received in the financial district and illustrates how much some of the coal-carrying railroads have been benefited by the priority orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission through 1920. Operating revenues of the Baltimore & Ohio last month increased $7,933,890 over those for November, 1919, and of this increase $7,365,504 was derived from the additional freight carried over the company's lines.

Against the big increase in revenues, however, there was an increase of $6,-614,644 in railway operating expenses. The major portion of this increase was traceable to a $4,086,633 advance in transportation expenses (wages), and the company spent $2,252,055 more in maintenance of way and structures and equipment than it did in November, 1919. Net revenue from railway operation was $2,612,796, as compared with $1,293,599.

At the close of 1919 Baltimore & Ohio was one of the coal roads which had experienced a considerable falling off in the volume of traffic, and it was not until after the Interstate Commerce Commission had issued its emergency coal shipment orders that the big increase in the Baltimore & Ohio tonnage became marked. The bulk of hte traffic was coal.

Among other November reports which became marked. The bulk of the traffic of the Lehigh Valley and the Texas & Pacific. Lehigh Valley's gross in November increased from $5,705,823 in the same month in the preceding year to $7,582,129, while net operating income for the same period increased to $761,331 from $288,116.

In the case of Texas & Pacific, November gross revenues amounted to $3,961,-422, as compared with $3,267,872 in the preceding November and net operating income for the month was $308,407, as compared with $211,992 in the year before.

OFFERS COAL SOLUTION.

Roads Could Handle Output if Uniform Through Year, Says Expert.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 28.—A. G. Gutheim, manager of the Public Relations Section of the Car Service Division of the American Railway Association, addressing the convention of the American Economic Association today on the 1920 coal situation, said: "So long as regulatory power exists to force coal production at the expense of other industries, similar power should exist to compel proper distribution of such production.

"Our railroad facilities are probably adequate today to handle our necessary annual bituminous output produced with fair uniformity of rate throughout the year, and will certainly be adequate when post-war rehabilitation of the properties is completed.

"Railroad facilities are not, and without great waste of investment never can be, adequate to handle currently our necessary bituminous coal production when obtained by weekly peaks of 13,-000,000 tons and valleys of 7,500,000 tons in a twelve-month period, as has been the case the last two years."

Arthur J. Mason of Chicago, an engineering expert, in urging the substitution of machine loading for hand work by miners, who now shovel into cars 700,000,000 tons of coal, said that "public opinion must be roused to the splendid job of bringing to the surface about three-quarters of a million vigorous men." He urged great storage places for coal, similar to grain reservoirs.

"The primary saving which would ensue should municipalities undertake to furnish heat to citizens, as they now do water, by means of great central stations, would reach a sum measurably equal to the present total taxation in those cities," he maintained.

ROADS' COAL BILL JUMPS.

Increases $97,026,624 for Nine Months in 1920 Over 1919.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The railroads' coal bill for the first nine months of this year was $97,026,624 more than during the corresponding period last year, said a statement issued today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. A resolution asking the commission for a report as to the amounts spent by the roads for coal this year and last was adopted yesterday by the Senate.

During the first nine months of this year the roads spent $326,923,642 for coal, as against $229,897,018, the commission's statement showed. The cost of coal was greatest in the New England district, the cost being $7.73 per net ton, as against $5.67 a ton last year. The Central Western district had the lowest coal cost, railroads paying only $3.38 a ton. In 1919 they paid $2.97 a ton.

The total consumption by the roads in the nine months was 81,752,821 tons, as against 71,619,009 tons in 1919.

SENATORS TO HEAR SIMS.

Investigators Call Ex-Indianapolis Conspiracy Prosecutor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Dan W. Sims, who resigned as a special prosecutor in the Indianapolis coal conspiracy case after differences with Attorney General Palmer over the evidence to be used, has been summoned to appear before the Senate committee investigating the coal situation.

The committee was to continue hearings tomorrow, but decided today to postpone the examination of witnesses. Chairman Calder is expected to call an executive session, and Mr. Sims will appear before it.

Further inquiry into charges that Government employes and officials engaged in profit taking on coal during the shortages last Summer has been made by agents of the committee. George H. Cushing, Managing Director of the American Wholesale Coal Association, has now furnished the committee with three names said to be those of Government officials who joined in a single coal transactions which netted $400,000 for the participants. Two of the three are still connected with the Government service, it was said by the committee representatives, though one who was employed on a dollar-a-year basis during and after the war is not now in the service.

U. S. Smelting Dividend Cut.

The board of the United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Company yesterday declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share on the common stock. The company had been making quarterly disbursements of $1.50 a share on the common since September of last year. At the same time the regular quarterly dividend of 87½ cents a share on the preferred stock was announced, both payments being due Jan. 15, to stock of record Jan. 5.

1,050 OLYMPIC ALIENS LAND AFTER DELAY

Immigration Officials Get Permission From Washington to Make Examinations Aboard Ship.

The 1,050 steerage passengers who have been detained on the White Star liner Olympic since last Wednesday at the cost of $1,200 per day to the company were examined on board yesterday afternoon by Public Health doctors and the Immigration Inspectors and permitted to land, in order to allow the vessel to sail at 1 o'clock P. M. for Cherbourg and Southampton with a big passenger list and the United States mails.

The delay was due chiefly to the methods of the Public Health Service in Washington, which would not permit the immigrants to be examined anywhere except at Ellis Island, although Commissioner of Immigration Frederick A. Wallis had received permission to examine the 10,000 aliens on the ships to relieve the congestion at the island.

Several passengers on their way to Australia told the doctors they had been compelled to travel third class because there was no room in the second cabin. They had no idea, they said, that they would be sent to Ellis Island to be vaccinated before being allowed to land in America.

The 1,200 steerage passengers from the White Star liner Adriatic, who arrived nearly three weeks ago, are still at Hoffman Island, under a twelve-day observation for a suspected case of typhus.

Steamship agents said yesterday they hoped nearly 10,000 other passengers also could be examined on board.

EXPORT PURCHASE JOLTS CHICAGO PIT

But 1,000,000-Bushel Deal in Wheat Does Not Brace the Market—Armours Buy Corn.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Removal of hedges against export sales of around 1,000,000 bushels hard Winter wheat via the Gulf failed to affect the future market materially, and the close was ¾ and 3 cents lower, the latter on December. In corn, buying of December, credited to the Armour Grain Company, advanced that delivery 1⅜ cents, with the finish 2 cents under the May. Deferred deliveries were unchanged to ¾ cents lower and oats were unchanged to ¼ cent lower. Rye was ¼ cent higher to ¾ cent lower and barley 1¼ cent lower.

The export demand for wheat was surprisingly large for this season of the year, as usually nothing is done during the holidays. Belgium, France and Italy were reported as the buyers, part of the grain being for last half March shipment—which was regarded as very significant, in view of the recent reports that Argentine was offering 8 and 7 cents under domestic.

There was also some business in Manitobas via the seaboard, but quantity or price was not mentioned. Exporters bought 45,000 bushels dark No. 3 Northern here at equal to 3 cents over March on track; and an inquiry for 100,000 bushels dark No. 2 Northern was received after the close, with offers within ½ cent of a working basis.

Congestion is developing in December rye, spreading being short in that grain against purchases of wheat, and the difference narrowed 3¼ cents. Exporters are long on rye and await a delivery.

A large export business could have been put through, had cash grain been available. It would not be surprising to see some fireworks in the December rye before the end of the month. Spreaders sold May rye and bought wheat today.

The main cause of the failure of wheat to advance in the face of the export buying is the pressure from local traders, which more than offsets the seaboard buying. Speculation is at a low ebb, and the market is regarded as needing constant support in order to prevent decline. Sentiment generally is bearish despite the strong statistical position.

Trade in corn and oats was very light; and, aside from the tightness in December corn, the markets were featureless. Houses with Eastern connections bought July and sold May corn. A local house, through an error, bid 2¼c more than they should for corn from Iowa overnight and failed to buy a bushel of grain.

Several large Iowa elevator operators who were here said stocks of oats in elevators in that State were abnormally light and supplies on farms less than expected by the State.

Primary arrivals of 631,000 bushels wheat compared with 880,000 a week ago, and 916,000 last year; shipments, 553,000 bushels against 588,000 a week ago and 603,000 last year.

Receipts of corn aggregated 1,013,000 bushels against 785,000 last week and 1,003,000 last year. Shipments were 333,000 bushels against 251,000 a week ago, and 450,000 last year.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	$1.38	$1.35¾	$1.35½	$1.39
March	1.43¾	1.41¼	1.42¾	1.43½
May	1.39	1.36½	1.37¾	1.39

CORN.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	71½	70¾	71	70	1.45¾
May	73¾	72¾	73¾	73¼	1.52¾
July	75¾	73½	73½	73¾	1.31

OATS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	46	45¼	45¾	45¾	84½
May	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾	83¾
July	48	47¼	47¼	47¾	78½

RYE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	1.42¾	1.39	1.39½	1.39½	1.52¾
May	1.40	1.38¾	1.39¾	1.39½	1.52¾

PROVISIONS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard— Jan.	12.85	12.70	12.77	12.70	32.57
May	13.35	13.15	13.15	13.25	24.62
Ribs— Jan.	11.40	11.32	11.32	12.25	19.15
May	12.05	12.02	12.02	12.05	19.85
Pork— Jan.	23.05	23.00	23.00	23.00	57.25

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 7,755 packages. High-grade fresh creamery quotations might be exceeded on technical qualities; fair interest in the medium qualities and general outlook a little brighter; Danish, undying well; rather more doing in storage creamery; ladles and packing, steady. Creamery, higher than extras, pound, 56½@57c; extras, 92 score, 56c; firsts, 90 to 91 score, 49½@55c; firsts, 88 to 89 score, 45½@47c; seconds, 83 to 87 score, 37@42c; lower grades, 32@36c; unsalted, higher than extras, 55½@60c; extras, 59½@60c; firsts, 46@57c; seconds, 36@43c; held or storage, high scoring, 61½@62½c; extras, 60@61c; firsts, 40@48c; seconds, 32@38c; lower grades, 25@30c; Danish casks, fresh, 61@65c; State dairy tubs, finest, 58@59c; good to prime, 44@56c; common to fair, 30@42c; renovated, extras, 39@40c; ladles, current make, firsts, 26@28c; seconds, 22@23c; lower grades, 20@21½c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 21½@22c; No. 2, 20c; lower grades, 15@19c.

EGGS—Receipts yesterday, 15,975 cases. Prices show further advance of about 1c except on whites, of especially choice; advance in prices; storage, improved demand. Fresh-gathered, extras, dozen, 78@80c; extra firsts, 76@77c; firsts, 74@75c; seconds and poorer, 68@73c; duties No. 1, 57@58c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 50@52c; refrigerator, firsts, 61@62c; seconds, 58@60c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby Western nearby whites, extras, fancy, 82@83c; firsts, 80@81c; gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 80@82c; under grades, 70@79c; pullets, 63@66c; Pacific Coast, white, extras, 85c; extra firsts, 82@83c; firsts, 80@81c; under grades, 76@78c; pullets selected, small cut, 76@76c; usual sizes, 62@68c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 70@80c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby Western, henneries, browns, extras, 81@83c; gathered brown and mixed colors, graded extras, 78@80c; firsts to extra firsts, 74@77c.

NEW RULES GOVERN STOCK SALE RETURNS

Internal Revenue Commissioner Issues Notice of Revision of Present Law.

MONTHLY REPORT REQUIRED

It Must Give Detailed Information of All Transactions in the Preceding Month.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—New regulations were issued today by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for making returns on the sales of shares of stocks. Detailed information must be furnished on the 15th day of each month of all the transactions of the preceding month. The official notice sent out to collectors of internal revenue and which revises the present law reads:

"Article 17, regulations 40, revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Article 17. Returns by persons making sales. (a) All persons who are wholly or partly engaged in the business of buying, selling or transferring shares of stock, whether such sales, purchases or transfers shall be made, cleared, settled or adjusted through a clearing house or otherwise, shall on or before the 15th day of each month, and at any other time designated by the Commissioner, render under oath a true return of all such sales to said Commissioner for the preceding month or for any other period designated by the Commissioner, containing in detail the following data and information:

"1. The month for which the return is made.

"2. The name and address of the person, partnership, corporation or association making the return.

"3. The number of shares sold, loaned and borrowed returned and tax paid as follows:

"(a) Par value shares through Clearing House.

"(b) Par value shares ex-clearing, curb, over the counter.

"(c) No par value shares, market value $100 or less, through Clearing House.

"(d) No par value shares, market value $100 or less, ex-Clearing House, curb, over the counter.

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"(h) Market value, no par value shares, market value over $100, ex-Clearing House, curb, over the counter.

"(i) Transfers, calls, rights, when, as and if issued, contracts and miscellaneous.

"4. Number of shares cross trades.

"5. The amount of tax paid.

"6. The amount of stamps on hand on the first day of the month or other period.

"7. The amount of stamps purchased during the month or other period.

"8. The amount of stamps on hand on the last day of the month for which return is being made.

"(b) Provided that brokers known strictly as 'floor brokers' or 'two-dollar men' or 'traders' in lieu of the foregoing return shall render a return only as to such sales as were not 'given up' to or cleared through other brokers, including direct settlements, 'pass-outs' or 'scratched sales.'

"(c) Provided, further, that in the event any broker who has not closed business shall make no sales of stock during any one month he shall file with the Commissioner a statement to that effect in lieu of a return."

BOSTON HOUSEKEEPER GETS $500,000 ESTATE

Will of Mrs. Mary Knight Names Her Old Family Servant as Residuary Legatee.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—The domestic service of Agnes McNevin in the family of Mrs. Mary Gilbert Knight is to be rewarded with a legacy of half a million dollars. The executors of the will of Mrs. Knight filed a petition in the Probate Court today for leave to make final distribution of the property, reporting that all specific public and personal bequests, aggregating $198,200, had been paid. The estate was worth $697,932, they reported, leaving approximately half a million for the former servant, who was named residuary legatee.

The Knights lived in the Roxbury district on the border of Franklin Park and their home there has been a landmark. It is understood Miss McNevin was in their service for many years and immediately prior to the death of Mrs. Knight had acted as her housekeeper.

GERMAN BANK STATEMENT.

Large Decrease in Outstanding Note Circulation.

The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes, in marks:

Total coin and bullion	increased	9,000,000
Gold	decreased	100,000
Treasury notes	increased	632,400,000
Notes of other banks	increased	100,000
Bills discounted	increased	4,111,000,000
Advances	decreased	14,400,000
Investments	decreased	2,300,000
Other securities	decreased	62,800,000
Notes in circulation	decreased	837,000,000
Deposits	increased	4,263,800,000
Other liabilities	increased	22,500,000

Gold holdings and outstanding note circulation of the bank now compare as follows with the corresponding week in 1919 and 1918, in thousands of marks:

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gold	1,021,900	1,020,497	2,262,420
Circulation	64,147,100	34,126,065	31,124,590

The Reichsbank's gold stood at 1,732,758,000 marks when the war broke out; its note circulation at 1,890,892,000. The highest point reached by the bank's gold reserve since the war began was 2,650,240,000 marks on Nov. 15, 1918; since when it has been steadily depleted by payment for imported foodstuffs. The highest point ever reached by the bank's outstanding notes was 64,684,646,000 marks, in the statement of Dec. 15.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the J. G. White Engineering Corporation yesterday J. Dugal Whitty was elected a Director of the corporation.

C. B. Chapman, formerly with Hemphill, Noyes & Co., is now associated with the bond department of Moore, Leonard & Lynch.

C. F. Childs & Co. have revised to date their bond calendar on all United States territorial and insular bonds, showing respective amounts outstanding, dates of issues, purposes of each issue, maturities and other information.

H. C. Nickerson, for the last few years a specialist in Canadian securities, will become associated on and after Jan. 1 with the municipal bond house of Spitzer, Rorick & Co.

United States Rubber Company 7½ per cent. ten-year definitive bonds are ready for delivery upon surrender of temporary bonds at the office of United States Mortgage and Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street.

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COTTON LOW PRICES WORST IN 4 YEARS

Spots Set Middlings Record at 14.50—Pressure by Southern Banks Reported.

The cotton market broke badly again yesterday and at the day's low prices contract quotations were down below anything recorded in more than four years. At the minimum the list was 25 to 50 points under the previous lows of last Wednesday. Spots equalled the low record here of 14.50 for middlings. All in all, it was a bad day for the cotton market and at the close, despite the fact that a slight rally occurred in the last hour, local trade authorities were very pessimistic.

The market started 25 to 30 points down for the near months and 15 to 20 points off for the distant options. It moved up very little and then started to break. Liverpool, which had opened sharply lower after the four-day Christmas holiday, was a seller here, and the South and Wall Street liquses also sold rather freely. The Southern sellers were particularly active and it was reported round the ring that Southern banks were bringing pressure to bear on their clients with the intent of forcing them to sell their cotton and liquidate their loans.

In the decline the market moved jerkily. It would go down 15 or 20 points, hold there for a brief time and then break another 15 or 20 points. It was not the sort of market which breaks wide open, but rather a soft, dragging affair, but with no apparent bottom. In the last half hour January came back about 30 points, thanks to some shifting of short contracts into later months, but the more distant contracts rallied only 5 to 10 points from the extreme lows.

Liverpool was weak, with futures down 55 to 85 points and spots down 25 to 9.29d.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Day.	Prev.
Jan.	14.10	14.25	13.70	14.02@14.05		14.45
March	13.85	13.95	13.53	13.50@13.54		14.14
May	14.00	14.06	13.50	13.62@13.63		14.22
July	14.10	14.13	13.60	13.72@13.77		14.30
Oct.	14.30	14.30	13.93	13.98		14.45

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, down 50 points to 14.50c for middling upland; sales 300 bales.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston 13.50c, down .50; New Orleans, 13.50c, down .25; Savannah, 14.00c, down 1.75c; Augusta, 13.25c, down .25; Memphis, 14.00c, down .50; Houston, 12.50c, down 1.00c; Little Rock, 14.00c, down .50.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	46,731	51,787	41,657
Exports	44,888	39,308	
Exports, season	2,558,542	2,245,880	2,083,658
New York stocks	24,830	25,241	62,081
Port stocks	1,427,844	1,405,062	1,584,715
N. Y. arrivals	1,381	1,124	

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton was dull at 9.29d for middling. Sales, 2,000 bales, of which 1,000 were American. Imports, 68,000 bales, of which 23,000 were American. Future opened quiet, 22 to 29 points down, and closed easy, 37 to 68 points down from Thursday's Prices: December, 9.25d; March, 9.61d; May, 9.80d; July, 9.85d. Manchester: Yarns and cloths were dull and easier.

It was announced yesterday that the Cotton Exchange will close at noon Friday, Dec. 31.

COMMODITY PRICES WEAK.

Price Change Narrow—New Low Price Reported for Spot Copper.

There were few price changes reported in yesterday's wholesale markets, the grains, for instance, closing unchanged, and in the dairy and grocery products eggs at an advance of one cent per dozen was the only change noted. Lard advanced 15 cents per hundred pounds, beef and pork unchanged. In the metals the settling price of copper, as reported by the New York Metal Exchange, showed a drop of three-quarters of one cent per pound, to a new low price for the year. Other metals were unchanged. Spot cotton likewise was weak, dropping 50 cents per hundred pounds. Printcloths were unchanged.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Tuesday, a week before and a year ago:

	Dec. 28.	Dec. 21.	Dec. 28.
FOODSTUFFS:	1920.	1920.	1919.
Wheat, No. 2 red	$1.99½	$1.95½	$2.30
Corn, No. 2 yellow	.97¾	.89½	1.61¼
Oats, No. 2 white	.60	.62	.86½
Flour, Minn. patents	9.50	9.50	15.75
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	.06¾	.06¼	.15
Sugar, granulated	.08	.08	.09
Butter, cream, 92 score	.56	.56	.70½
Eggs, fresh-gathered firsts, per dozen	.75	.74	.72
Lard, prime	12.50	13.60	23.25
Pork, mess	30.00	29.50	47.00
Beef, family	27.00	18.00	27.00
METALS:			
Iron, 2X, Phila	33.00	34.00	41.10
Steel billets, Pitts	43.50	43.50	46.00
Lead	4.62½	4.55	6.50
Copper	12.50	13.25	18.75
Tin	33.00	33.00	59.50
TEXTILES:			
Cotton, mid. uplands	14.50	15.23	39.25
Printcloths	.05¾	.05¾	.14

Highest and lowest prices thus far in the present year:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
Wheat	$3.25	Jan. 7	$1.79	Nov. 27
Corn	2.31¾	May 15	.94½	Nov. 27
Oats	1.50	May 7	.60	Nov. 27
Flour	16.25	Jan. 7	9.00	Dec. 1
Coffee	.16¼	Jan. 11	.06½	Dec. 22
Sugar	.23	July 12	.08	Dec. 17
Butter	.77	Apr. 24	.51¼	Dec. 1
Eggs	.80	Dec. 10	.42½	Mar. 15
Lard	23.50	Jan. 9	13.55	Dec. 20
Pork	47.00	Jan. 2	29.50	Dec. 21
Beef	28.00	Oct. 19	20.00	May 13
Iron	63.51	Aug. 31	33.00	Dec. 23
Steel	100.00	July 23	43.00	Jan. 2
Lead	9.50	Mar. 15	4.50	Dec. 23
Tin	65.25	Jan. 11	32.00	Dec. 14
Copper	18.50	Jan. 5	12.50	Dec. 22
Cotton	45.75	July 22	14.50	Dec. 22
Printcloths	.16¾	Apr. 13	.05¾	Nov. 30

SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London unchanged at 42d per ounce. New York prices for bar silver unchanged at 89½c per ounce, the Mint price for foreign silver 65c; high bar at 65c.

Range of prices for silver bullion this month:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
London	44⅝d	Dec. 3	38¾d	Dec. 10
New York	.70c	Dec. 3	.59½c	Dec. 10

Range for the present year to date:

London	80¼d	Feb. 11	38¾d	Dec. 10
New York	.70c	Dec. 3	.59½c	Dec. 10

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 28.—Fifty-five new corporations, having an aggregate capitalization of $1,304,725, were chartered today. They include:

Goodman-Mandelbaum, Manhattan, women's apparel, $40,000; L. Brill, J. T. Mandelbaum, A. Goodman, 341 East 124th St.

Delmar Co., Manhattan, mail order, $15,000; G. W. Nielson, F. G. Lane, L. G. Mapes, 1,550 Silver St.

Louis, importer, Manhattan, women's tailoring, $6,000; L. and R. E. Simkin, J. Alleys, 2,004 Ryer Av., Bronx.

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Capitol District Co-operative Association, Albany, industrial and manufacturing co-operative plan, $5,000; H. G. Nash, H. Lamont, J. A. Phillips, Albany.

Gomez Ferrah & Martinez, Manhattan, general importing and exporting, $25,000; R. Gomez, L. L. Hillyard, J. Mendoza, 516 West 172d St.

White Tar Realty Associates, Manhattan, $50,000; B. Walker, J. J. Scheuch, L. Sanders, 66 Vesey St.

Gravure Development Corp., Manhattan, printing, $50,000; E. C. Riegel, L. F. Berkfield, A. M. Huswood, 200 5th Av.

Goodman Brothers, Manhattan, fur garments, $50,000; I. and A. and J. Goodman, 1,620 42d St., Brooklyn.

William Phillips Phone Parts Corp., Manhattan, $50,000; S. Abrams, H. Stern, W. Phillips, 41 Bennett St.

Aborn Garage, Brooklyn, $12,000; D. Tamaris, S. H. Lichtenstein, A. L. Friedman, 60 East 10th St.

S. S. Farkouh & Bros., Manhattan, white goods and silks, $24,000; W. J. and A. J. Malhame, S. Farkouh, 17 Rector St.

Sharport Holding Corp., Manhattan, realty, $100,000; M. Schachnow, M. Reisport, A. Gross, 261 Broadway.

Eglaston Bros. & Co., Manhattan, iron and steel, $2,100,000; E. H. and J. F. Eyre, Wallace Hughes.

Nell G. Nyland Co., Albany, bookbinding and publishing, $5,000; F. E. Decker, J. J. Madigan, N. G. Nyland, Albany.

Hudson Valley Fanta Co., Poughkeepsie, $5,000; C. F. Palmer, J. Seligman, D. Rosenberg, Poughkeepsie.

Fisk Teachers Agency, Manhattan, $20,025; B. McDowell, H. A. Straiffin, C. B. Crossman, 225 5th Av.

Federal Credit House of Ohio, Manhattan, clothing, $20,000; M. and M. Landsman, J. Stanloff, 32 West 18th St.

Louis Klimahowitz, Manhattan, textiles, 1,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 1,000 common, no par value; active capital, $157,-600; L. M. Ficker, R. and L. Kalmanowitz, 5,566 15th Av., Brooklyn.

CAPITL INCREASES.

Fremont Thread Co., Manhattan, $40,000 to $60,000.

E. G. Mfg. Co., Manhattan, $100,000 to $500,000.

S. C. Marx Co., Manhattan, $10,000 to $20,000.

McNab & Harlin Mfg. Co., Manhattan, $500,000 to $900,000.

John R. Bremmer, Manhattan, $1,000 to $100,000.

Frank P. Boulton Corp., Manhattan, $3,000 to $300,000.

E. I. Horsman & Aetna Doll Co., Manhattan, $175,000 to $500,000.

Keith Fisher & Co., Manhattan, $400,000 to $500,000.

Lewis Ebert & Sons, Manhattan, $10,000 to $50,000.

Williamsburg Wood Heel Co., Manhattan, $25,000 to $100,000.

Premier Garment Co., Manhattan, $20,000 to $50,000.

C. L. Poole & Co., Manhattan, $75,000 to $200,000.

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Liberty Merchandise Co., Manhattan, $12,-500 to $50,000.

Finch Pruyn & Co., Queensbury, $2,000,000 to $3,000,000.

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State Bank of Bolivar, Bolivar, $30,000 to $60,000.

Little River Redwood Co., Tonawanda, $96,000 to $2,000,000.

Wilson Process, Rochester, $500,000 to $600,000.

North American Process Co., Malone, $500 to $850,000.

Vail Ballou Co., Binghamton, $250,000 to $600,000.

Rockland County Driving Park, New City, $6,000 to $25,000.

CAPITAL REDUCTION.

Locks Insulator Mfg. Co., $1,000,000 to $600,000.

REORGANIZATION.

R. Sadovsky, Manhattan, carry on business with $3,512,500 and 62,500 shares common stock, no par value.

NAME CHANGES.

Edward Nash & Louis Watjen, Ltd., Manhattan, to Nash, Watjen & Bange, Ltd.

Colt, Stratton Co., Manhattan, to Stratton, Bliss Co.

Blakeslee, Snyder, Gardiner, Buffalo, to Snyder Cigar Co.

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New Marathon Restaurant, Brooklyn.

Herget, Speckel & Co., Manhattan.

Ferber Lucks Dress Co., Manhattan.

Kreitman & Brick, Manhattan.

Kessler, Stevenson Corp., Manhattan.

Hendey Chemical Co., Manhattan.

Maxwell Mfg. Co., Manhattan.

Netherland Ice Cream Co., Syracuse.

Netherland Dairy Co., Syracuse.

Concrete Culvert Co., Horseheads.

Pakanship Co., Brooklyn.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, Dec. 28.—New charters granted: Lythan Elec. Lamp Co., Jersey City, to make electric appliances, $150,000; Wm. J. Tompkins, John W. Aymar Jr., Waldemar F. Timme.

D. & H. Roofing Tile Co., Guttenberg, deal in roofing supplies, $125,000; Adolph G. Drapp, Gertrude Drapp, Anna Foeliot, West New York.

Read Hardware Co., Camden, $125,000; Chas. C. Read, M. E. Read, Wilfred B. Wolcott, Camden.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Dec. 28.—Charters filed:

Detroit Export Finance Corp., export and import, $10,000,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Humphreys Texas Co., storing and selling oil and gas, $5,000,000; John E. Moats, M. Aich, H. A. Weigle, Tulsa, Okla.

Mexico Corp., stocks and bonds, $2,000,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Pamico Transportation Co., boats, $1,500,-000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Hoyt Corp., merchandise, $1,000,000; J. P. Ernester, C. B. Nelson, L. L. Soule, Minneapolis.

Sierra Magnesite Co., mining, $800,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Lawton Producing and Refining Co., stocks and bonds, $500,000; C. T. Cohee, S. B. Outten, S. L. Mackey, Wilmington.

Findex Co., card indexing system, $420,000; M. L. Rogers, L. A. Irwin, W. G. Singer, Wilmington.

Cimena Elpance Corp., stocks and bonds, $200,000; Clarence S. Ashley, Daniel J. Dunhy, Harry J. Neuschafer, New York.

Thomas J. Robinson & Co., stock brokers, $50,000; M. M. Lisey, M. B. Rezza, L. S. Dorsey, Wilmington.

Industrial Cost Association, commerce, no capital; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Fi. Trop Trading Co., $200,000; Wray C. Arnold, Frank W. Fry, Frank A. Cabeen Jr., Philadelphia.

Texas Tire Co., rebuilt automobiles, $50,-000; M. L. Rogers, L. A. Irvin, W. G. Singer, Wilmington.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

W. C. McBride, St. Louis, $100,000 to $500,-000.

R. Kramow & Dons, Pittsburgh, $50,000 to $100,000.

Continental Flourspar Co., Nevada, $150,000 to $350,000.

NAME CHANGES.

Mardisbe Signalite Sales Corp. to Tear Products, Inc., New York.

Colonial Bond & Mortgage Co. of Detroit to Colonial Mortgage Co. of Detroit.

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
600	Acme Coal	9	8¾	9
100	Ast B-B 1st	81	81	81
1,650	Al. Pack Ins	5⅝	5	5
4,000	Allum Mfg	16	16	16
200	Am Chicle	39½	39½	39½
100	Am Cigar Sec	87½	87½	87½
40	Borden	85½	84	85½
22	Do pf	83	83	83
800	Cleve Auto	43	42¼	42¾
5	Dupont pf	77	77	77
500	East Potash	1	1	1
250	Do pf	48	46	46½
400	Emp T & R	18⅝	18	18⅛
700	Farrell Coal	16	15½	16
6,400	Gardner Mo	14¾	14¼	14½
125	Goodyear	24	21	21½
330	Do pf	48	46	46½
230	Imp Pow of G B & L	8	8	8
1,400	Indian Pack	3	2¾	2¾
100	Int Cultl pf	5¼	5¼	5¼
2,700	Int Cont Pr	6	6	6
2,350	K G C of D	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
50	Lit Oil, Cal.	280	285	285

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

800	Allen Oil	1	⅞	1
50,000	Allied Oil	20	16	19
300	Ark Nat G	7⅜	7	7⅛
3,200	Boone Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1,000	Boss-Mex Oil	1⅛	1	1
5,000	Carib Synd	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛
600	Cities Serv B T Sh	29¾	29¾	29¾
3,200	Cushing Pet	1⅛	1	1
2,000	Elk P Pet	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
2,000	Engin Pet	1¼	1⅛	1¼
4,000	Federal Oil	2⅜	1⅞	2
500	Fensland Oil	12	11¾	12
500	Gilliland Oil	15	15	15
775	Do pf	78¼	78	78¼
700	Glenrock Oil	2¼	2	2¼
400	Granada Oil	5¼	5¼	5¼
500	Guffey-Gilk	25	25½	25½
7,200	Hudson Oil	½	½	½
1,600	Hughes Pet	13	12	12
1,700	Inter Pet	15⅞	15⅝	15¾
900	Caibo Oil	11	10	10½
7,000	Maclia Oils	2¾	2⅝	2⅝

MINING STOCKS.

11,800	Alas-B C Met	⅞	⅞	⅞
100	Amedicus M	1	1	1
2,600	††BelcherExt	3⅛	3	3⅛
5,200	††BelcherDiv (a pros)	4	3½	4
1,600	Big Ledge	⅝	⅝	⅝
1,000	††Booth	2	2	2
50,000	†Bos & Mont	40	38	40
3,500	††Caledonia	17	16	17
4,200	††Candalaria	12	12	12
5,400	††Canby	4	3½	4
250	Con Vir Sil	3¼	3	3¼
3,800	††Cortez Sil	64	62	64
2,500	El Sal Silver	⅞	⅞	⅞
1,000	††Emma Silver	3	2¾	3
29,000	††Eureka Croe	42	38	41
1,800	††Eureka Hol	1½	1½	1½
4,000	†Gladen Cop	26	23	25
6,500	†Gold Z Div	22½	21	22
2,000	††Gold'd'Con	4	4	4
2,500	††Gold'd'Dev	3	1	2
2,000	††Gt Bend	½	½	½
4,000	††HarmillMin	20	18	20
4,050	Hecla Mining	3⅞	3¾	3¾
1,500	Howe Sound	2¾	2¾	2½
1,600	Iron Blos	18	17	17
2,500	††Jim Butler	18	16	17
2,000	††Jumbo Ext	6	5	5
3,000	††Kewanna	1	1	1
6,500	††Knox Div	7	6½	7
8,000	†Lone St Con	4½	4	4½
$65,000	†Allied Packers 8s			51
15,000	†Am T & T 6s 1922			93⅜
5,000	†Am T & T, 1924			91¼
50,000	†Amaconda Copper 7s			98
10,000	†Armour			94½
1,000	†Beth Steel 7s, 1923			94½
15,000	†Beth Steel 7s, 1935			93¾
2,000	†Can Nat Ry 7s, 1935			100¼
45,000	†Consolidated Gas 8s			98
6,000	†Con Textile 7s, w i			92
30,000	†Denmark 8s			96½
1,000	†Duquesne Light 6s			88½
20,000	†French 4s			39½
30,000	†Galena Signal Oil 7s			93¾
40,000	†Goodrich 7s, 1925			80¾
60,000	†Interborough R T 7s			67
30,000	†Kennecott Copper 7s			88
40,000	†Kingdom of Norway			99½
5,000	†Laclede Gas Light 7s			83½
3,000	†Morris & Co 7½s			94
10,000	†Ohio Gas 7s, 1921			98½
5,000	†Ohio Cities Gas 7s, 1923			92½
5,000	†Ohio Cities Gas 7s, 1924			91
40,000	†Seaboard Air Line 6s			44
4,000	†Sears, Roebuck 7s (2-yr)			94
7,000	†Sinclair 7½s			87
10,000	†Solvay & Cie 6s			90
1,000	†Southwestern Tel 7s			91
20,000	†Swift & Co 7s, 1925			94
10,000	†Southern Ry 6s			91⅝
140,000	†Stand Oil of Cal 7s			100
40,000	†Swiss Gov 8s			111¾
4,200	†Texas Co 7s notes			97
6,000	†Union Tank Line 7s			99⅞
16,000	†Western Electric 7s			97½

GERMAN BONDS.

Marks.		High.	Low.	Last.
50,000	†Berlin 4s	12	12	12
5,000	†Hanburg 4s	13½	13½	13½
6,000	†Frankfort 4s	13½	13½	13½
200,000	†Vienna 4½s	2¼	2¼	2¼

†Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.
Note—Yesterday, 30 Lehigh Valley Coal sold at 53.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
445	Cities Service	237	233	237	242
980	Cities Service pf	63¼	62¼	63	63½
646	Cities Service pf. B	5⅝	5½	5½	6
2,863	Cities Service bk. shares	30	29¼	30	30½
$21,600	Cities Service deb. B	120	115	115	120
22,200	Cities Service deb. C	88	87	87	89
21,800	Cities Service deb. D	86	82	83	86
385	Empire Gas and Fuel pf	82½	82	82	85

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am Gas & Electric	93	96	Galveston-Houston Elec	24	28
Am Gas & Electric pf	33	34	Galveston-Hous Elec pf	59	64
Am Light & Traction	60	65	Miss River Power	10¾	12¾
Am Light & Trac pf	64	69	Miss River Power pf	58	62
Am Power & Light	38	42	Northern States Power		40
Am Power & Light pf	58	62	North. States Pow pf	74	80
Am W W & Electric	3	5	Northern Texas Elec	70	75
Am W W & Elec 1st pf	35	38	Northern Tex Elec pf	64	68
Am W W & E partic	4	6½	Pacific Gas & Elec pf	78	80
Appalachian Power	1	5	Puget Sound Pow & Lt	15½	17¾
Appalachian Power pf	15	24	Puget Sd Pow & Lt pf	50	55
Carolina Power & Lt	27	32	Republic Ry & Light	5	6
Colorado Power	10	12	Republic Ry & Light pf	16	18
Colorado Power pf	75	80	Southern Cal Edison	85½	87½
Columbus Electric pf	53	58	Southern Cal Edison pf	94	96
Com Power, Ry & Lt	10½	11	Standard Gas & Elec	10	11
Com Pow, Ry & Lt pf	27	29	Standard Gas & Elec pf	30	32
Com Power pf	72	77	Tampa Electric	108	110
Eastern Texas Electric	68	73	Tenn Ry, Lt & Power	⅞	1½
Eastern Texas Elec pf	84	87	Tenn Ry, Lt & Pow pf	1½	2½
Ft. Smith Light & Trac	57	62	United Light & Rys	16	18¼
Electric Bond Sh pf	77	80½	United Light & Rys pf	48	50
Federal Light & Trac	5	7	Western Power pf	18	19¾
Federal Lt & Trac pf	42	60½	Western Power pf	58	60½

BONDS.

Am W W & El con 5s	47	49	Miss River Pow 5s, '51	74	75
Appalachian 1st 5s, '41	60	62	Nor States Pow 5s, '41	74	77
Cin Gas & Elec 5s, '56	78	83	Nor States Pow 6s, '26	76	81
Col Gas & El deb 5s, '20	70	75	Seattle Electric 5s, '20	70	75
Col Gas & El 1st 5s, '51	80	85	Stand Gas & El 6s, '26	65	70
Conn Power 5s, '53	73		Stand Gas & El 7s, '21	94	99
Dallas Electric 5s, '22	100		Stand Gas 6s, '26	80	86
East Tex Elec 6s, '37	77		Utah Securities	78	80
Empire Gas & El 6s, '24	81	84	West States G & E 5s,	41	75
Midwest Utilities 6s, '25	80	84			

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Ask.
Anglo-Am Oil, Ltd.	16¼	16¾	15¾	16
Atlantic Lobos	29	32	27	30
Do pf	70	90	70	90
Borne-Scrymser	390	410	390	410
Buckeye Pipe Line	80	94	82	94
Chesebrough Mfg	170	190	170	190
Do pf	97	100	97	100
Continental Oil	103	107	104	107
Crescent Pipe Line	26	28	26	28
Cumberland P L	120	130	120	130
Eureka Pipe Line	77	82	80	82
Galena Signal Oil	41	44	44	46
Do pf. new	95	100	95	100
Do pf. old	93	96	93	96
Illinois Pipe Line	155	160	155	160
Imperial Oil, Ltd	92	96	90	96
Indiana Pipe Line	81	84	83	86
Int Pet Co, Ltd	15¼	15¾	15¾	16
National Transit	22	24	23	25
New York Transit	150	160	155	165
Northern Pipe Line	90	96	90	96
Ohio Oil	243	253	260	265
Penn-Mex Fuel	33	36	34	36
Prairie Oil & Gas	435	*445	440	*445
Prairie Pipe Line	170	*176	175	*176
Solar Refining	350	370	350	370
Southern Pipe Line	97	100	97	100
South Penn Oil	240	250	240	250
S W Pa Pipe Lines	56	90	56	90
Stand Oil of Cal	285	290	288	288
Stand. Oil of Ind. $25 par	65	67	65	67
Stand Oil of Kan	540	580	540	580
Stand Oil of Ky	350	400	380	380
Stand Oil of Neb	330	410	390	410
Stand Oil of N Y	310	320	315	320
Stand Oil of Ohio	370	390	370	390
Do pf	102	105	102	105
Swan & Finch	20	40	15	40
Union Tank Car	99	102	99	102
Do pf	93	96	93	96
Vacuum Oil	250	255	250	260
Washington Oil	30	35	30	30

*Ex dividend.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Ask.
Am Brass	108	103	158	160
Am Chicle	22	24	22	24
Do pf	62	67	62	67
Amal Leather	20		20	
Do pf	80	90	80	90
Am Light & Trac	74	77	74	77
Atlas Powder	118	124	118	124
Do pf	74	77	74	77
Babcock & Wilcox	108	110	108	110
Bordan & Co	84	87	83	86
Do pf	80	82	79	80
Childs Co	77	78	76	78
Do pf	87	90	87	90
Crocker-Wheeler	80	95	90	95
Draper Corp	125¼	126½	125	126
Du Pont	142	153	143	145
Do pf	75	78	75	77
E W Bliss pf			60	
Gil Safety Razor	130	135	130	135
H J Heinz Co	75		75	
Do pf	94½	95	94	95
Hercules	180	186	180	186
Do 1st pf	91	93	91	93
Illinois Traction

DECLARE PRESIDENT ORDERED CABLE BAR

Colby, Baker and Daniels Say They Acted Under His Direct Command.

REPLY TO WESTERN UNION

Cabinet Officers, in Answer to Suit, Assert Fear of Hampering Negotiations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Admitting interference with the landing on American shores of the Western Union cable from Barbados, and stating that they acted under direct orders of President Wilson, Secretaries Colby, Baker and Daniels filed today in the District Supreme Court their answers in the suit brought by the telegraph company for an injunction restraining them from preventing the landing of the cable line.

The Cabinet officers say that an injunction would inflict injury on the Government and the people of the United States, and would hamper President Wilson in the conduct of negotiations with foreign countries on the subject of cable communications.

Secretary Colby argues the right of the President to deny a landing privilege for any foreign-owned cable unless equal right is given by the foreign country for the landing of American-owned cables. Asserting that the Western Telegraph Company, with which the Western Union line would connect at Barbados, has an intercoastal cable monopoly in Brazil, Mr. Colby contends that the landing of the Western Union cable would further the alleged monopoly and exclude American companies from competition with the British company.

CHARGE COLLUSION IN SALE.

Denver & Rio Grande Stockholders Seek to Stop Confirmation.

DENVER, Dec. 28.—Charging that the judgment against the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company on which the sale of the road to a trio of New York men was based was obtained as a result of unlawful conspiracy and collusion, a number of stockholders in the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company have begun further court proceedings to prevent confirmation of the sale, according to announcement by the clerk of the United States District Court here today.

The complainants, who claim to be owners of 255 shares of preferred stock, ask that the collection of the judgment of $30,000,000 against the railroad company in favor of the Equitable Trust Company of New York be prohibited and the sale disallowed.

The Equitable Trust Company of New York, the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company, the Western Pacific Railway, the Western Pacific Railroad Company, the Western Pacific Railroad Corporation, the Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad Company, John F. Bowie, John B. Marsh and Ralph M. Arkush are named as defendants. Bowie, Marsh and Arkush, all of New York, bought the road when it was sold a few weeks ago, and announced they were acting for the Western Pacific Railroad Corporation.

The complainants allege that $25,000,000 was wrongfully transferred from the treasury of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company to the Western Pacific Railway Company in the form of a loan, and that in so doing the statutes of California were violated. Wrongful interlocking of directorates of various railroads also is charged.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A meeting of the stockholders of New York Steneil Works is to be held at the office of Campbell, Flaherty, Turner & Strouse, No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of reorganizing the corporation pursuant to Section 24 of the Stock Corporation Law, so as to permit the issuance of shares without par value to the effect that one share of outstanding corporate stock shall be exchanged for one share of preferred stock and one and one-half shares of non par value common stock.

Dated, New York City, December 12th, 1920.

HARRY E. NASON, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Silk and Skin Company will be held at the office of the company, Room No. 2004, No. 5 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 3rd, 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing three directors for the ensuing year and two inspectors of election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The polls will open at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and will remain open for at least one hour.

F. E. CROCKER, Secretary.

New York, December 16, 1920.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Equitable Safe Deposit Company of New York will be held at its office, No. 37 Wall Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly and properly come before said meeting.

FRANK E. RYON, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of H. C. F. Koch & Co., Inc., will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 122 East 125th Street, New York City, on Tuesday, Jan. 11th, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. T. KOCH, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, ss.:

THIS CERTIFICATE issued in duplicate hereby certifies that the Brasilian Tobacco Corporation, a domestic stock corporation, has filed in this office on this 20th day of December, 1920, papers for the voluntary dissolution of such corporation under section 221 of the General Corporation Law, and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with said section in order to be dissolved.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, this twenty-(SEAL) tieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

(Signed) ALEX. SIMPSON, JR., Deputy Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, ss.:

THIS CERTIFICATE issued in duplicate hereby certifies that the George E. Sweetser Co., Inc., a domestic stock corporation, has filed in this office on this 20th day of December, 1920, papers for the voluntary dissolution of such corporation under section 221 of the General Corporation Law, and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with said section in order to be dissolved.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the City of Albany, this twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

(SEAL) EDWARD LAUTERBACH, Deputy Secretary of State.

The partnership heretofore existing between Carl Bernstein, William Rosen and Samuel Gitlin under the name of Bernstein, Rosen & Gitlin, at 603 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, has this day been dissolved.

Mr. Gitlin has withdrawn from said firm and the business will be continued by Mr. Bernstein and Mr. Rosen under the firm name and style of Bernstein & Rosen, who have assumed the payment of all obligations.

Dated, December 24th, 1920.

MAX BERNSTEIN,
WILLIAM ROSEN,
SAMUEL GITLIN.

Please take notice that we, the undersigned, copartners trading under the style of Superior Girl Coat Co., at 131 Prince St., City, have this day dissolved our copartnership, and each of us will continue business as individuals.

DANIEL LIFTZEN,
AARON LEVINE.

FINANCIAL NOTICES.

THE MEXICAN EAGLE OIL COMPANY, LIMITED
(CIA MEXICANA DE PETROLEO "EL AGUILA" S. A.)

NOTICE TO AMERICAN SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by Resolutions of the Company passed in Mexico City on the 23d December, 1920, it was resolved (a) to authorize an increase of Share Capital to 180,000,000 Pesos Mexican by the creation of 4,480,040 Ordinary Shares of Ten Pesos Mexican each, and (b) to offer to the present shareholders of the Company one of such new Ordinary Shares at par for every two Shares, either Preference or Ordinary, held by them.

To enable holders of Share Warrants to Bearer to take advantage of this issue, they must deposit at The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., 5 Threadneedle Street, London E. C. 2, or any of its branches: The Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., Belfast, or any of its branches: The Clydesdale Bank, Ltd., Glasgow, or any of its branches, Coupon No. 16 detached from Definitive Share Warrants representing Ordinary Shares and/or Coupon No. 23 detached from Definitive Share Warrants representing Preference Shares. These Coupons must be accompanied by a remittance to pay 9s in full at par for one new Ordinary Share in respect of every two old Shares represented by such Coupons.

For each new Share the sum of £1 8s. 0 (being the exchange equivalent of Ten Pesos Mex. Gold) is payable at the time of lodgement of such Coupons.

Due application for the new Shares must be made to the above-mentioned Bankers not later than the 31st January, 1921, but the Board may, in any special case at its absolute discretion, extend such time for not exceeding one month.

The above-mentioned Coupons and remittance must be forwarded to London by the Shareholders' Bankers, who in turn must forward and present them through their London agents.

The new shares will rank pari passu with the existing Ordinary Shares, but will not participate in any Dividend that may be declared payable on the 31st December, 1920.

Provisional receipts will be issued in exchange for the above-mentioned Coupons and remittances, which provisional receipts will in due course be exchanged for Definitive Share Warrants to Bearer.

Fractional receipts representing one-half of a new Share will be issued against payment of 14s. 0d. each in respect of each odd Share and such fractional receipts if presented not later than 31st May, 1921, at the Office of Whitehall Securities Corporation, Ltd., London Financial Agents of the Company, 47 Parliament Street, S. W., with additional fractional receipts representing one of more complete Shares, and a letter of request signed by the holder, will be exchanged for provisional receipts for fully paid Shares. HERBERT J. CARR, Attorney in Fact for Whitehall Securities Corporation, Limited (London Financial Agents).

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Interest on Thirty Year First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of this Company, due 1941, will be paid on and after January 1st, 1921, upon presentation of Coupon No. 20 to the Bankers Trust Company, No. 16 Wall Street, New York, N. Y.

J. M. B. HOXSEY, Treasurer.

CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Interest on First and General Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds of this Company, due 1937, will be paid on or after January 1st, 1921, upon presentation of Coupon No. 19, to the Columbia Trust Company, No. 60 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

J. M. B. HOXSEY, Treasurer.

New York, Dec. 29, 1920.

CENTRAL UNION GAS COMPANY.

The Coupons of the First Mortgage 5% Bonds of the Company, due January 1, 1921, will be paid at THE NATIONAL CITY BANK, NO. 55 WALL STREET, New York City, on or after January 3, 1921.

PHILIP J. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF METROPOLITAN BANK.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Metropolitan Bank that a special meeting of the stockholders of said bank will be held in the office of the bank, corner of Fourth Avenue and 23d Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, New York, on the 19th day of January, 1921, at 1 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon an agreement of merger of the Hamilton Trust Company with this bank, duly signed, acknowledged and delivered by the respective officers of the said corporations pursuant to an authorization of the respective boards of directors and trustees of the said corporations, which said agreement of merger has been duly approved by the superintendent of Banks of the State of New York, said merger agreement providing for the increase of the capital stock of this bank from Two Million ($2,000,000) Dollars, consisting of twenty thousand ($20,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100) Dollars each to Two Million Five Hundred Thousand ($2,500,000) Dollars, consisting of twenty-five thousand (25,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100) Dollars each, the object of said increase being to carry into effect the said agreement of merger by which the stockholders of the said Hamilton Trust Company may exchange their shares of stock in that company for the increased capital stock of this bank from par for par, or to exercise such options as is therein provided. The name of this bank when said merger agreement shall become effective is to remain "Metropolitan Bank." The said question of the increase of the capital stock of this bank as above provided will be considered and acted upon and the stockholders will also consider and act upon such other business relating to the above matters as will properly come before the meeting.

The transfer books of this bank will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of December, 1920, and reopened at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 12th day of January, 1921.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, New York, December 15, 1920.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

HENRY OLLESHEIMER, President.

A. C. CORBY, Cashier.

DRY DOCK, EAST BROADWAY & BATTERY RAILROAD COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 2396 Third Avenue, corner 150th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 11TH, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, appointing Inspectors of Election, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all purchases, contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting of the Corporation, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

New York, December 28th, 1920.

JOHN MARONEY JR., Assist. Secretary.

The Southern Boulevard Railroad Co.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 150th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on MONDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, appointing Inspectors of Election, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all purchases, contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting of the Corporation, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

New York, December 28th, 1920.

JOHN MARONEY JR., Asst. Secretary.

The Yonkers Railroad Company.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 150th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on MONDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, appointing Inspectors of Election, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all purchases, contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting of the corporation, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

New York, December 28th, 1920.

JOHN MARONEY JR., Asst. Secretary.

THE SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY OF NEW YORK
149 Broadway
SINGER BUILDING

The annual election of seven Directors and three Inspectors of Election for The Safe Deposit Company of New York for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the Company, 149 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, between the hours of twelve o'clock noon and one o'clock P. M. Per Order WILLIAM J. RAMSEY, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN BANK
December 29th, 1920.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election will be held at the banking house, 4th Avenue and 23rd Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City and State, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock P. M.

A. C. CORBY, Cashier.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MUNPLACE STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

December 28, 1920.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the 650 PARK AVENUE CORPORATION will be held at the office of the Company, at 681 Fifth Avenue, New York City, January 10, 1921, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. CAPPS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MINERVA STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MUNBONO STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

CLARKE & HUTCHESON, INC.

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Company at 59 Wall Street, New York, on Monday, January 10th, at 12 o'clock noon.

M. V. JAY, Secretary.

Brooklyn Trust Company,
177 Montague Street,
Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company for the election of trustees, of inspectors of election and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company on Monday, January 10, 1921, at 9 o'clock A. M.

WILLARD P. SCHENCK, Secretary.

Dated December 29, 1920.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MADISON-59th Street Corporation of New York:

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Madison-59th Street Corporation, of New York, for the purpose of transacting such business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 424 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 15th, at 4 P. M.

(Signed) S. J. FLASH, President.

To the Stockholders of the LINCOLN SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Lincoln Safe Deposit Company will be held at 68-72 East 42nd Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Wednesday, January 12th, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. to elect seven Directors and two Inspectors of election for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

HENRY E. FREUND, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MUNSIA STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MUNPLACE STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the MUNBONO STEAMSHIP CORPORATION will be held at the offices of the Company, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, on January 12, 1921, 11:00 A. M., for the election of five Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated December 29, 1920.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Redemption of Bonds of the Dominican Republic, Issue of 1918

Santo Domingo, D. R., October 29, 1920.

As required by law and in accordance with the terms of Paragraph 3 of Executive Order No. 103, dated August 2, 1918, notice is hereby given that on this date there has been held a drawing required as of November 1st, 1920, to determine the number of the bonds of the Dominican Republic, issue of 1918, to be redeemed on January 1, 1921, and I hereby declare that said bonds of the Series "C" denomination of $100.00, from the numbers three thousand five hundred and one (3,501) to seven thousand two hundred and thirty-one (7,231) inclusive, heretofore unredeemed, and fifty-eight (58) bonds of Series "D," denomination of $500, are designated for redemption on the first day of January, 1921.

SERIES "C" VALUE $100.00

3501	3708	3872	4060	4233	4300	4475	4611	4786	4954	5108	5233	5394	5554	5677	5835	5959
3508	3707	3875	4069	4240	4303	4478	4613	4787	4964	5111	5255	5396	5555	5678	5837	5962
3509	3714	3880	4013	4164	4304	4477	4624	4701	4966	5115	5268	5399	5561	5681	5839	5964
3511	3716	3883	4014	4166	4317	4483	4627	4797	4967	5119	5267	5405	5563	5683	5840	5987
3513	3725	3884	4016	4169	4320	4484	4629	4802	4970	5122	5265	5406	5564	5687	5841	5989
3515	3728	3886	4020	4171	4324	4491	4632	4806	4974	5124	5266	5409	5566	5688	5843	5992
3517	3729	3894	4022	4172	4333	4492	4633	4811	4975	5129	5276	5410	5568	5697	5844	5993
3523	3732	3904	4025	4173	4343	4494	4635	4812	4979	5132	5277	5411	5570	5700	5848	5995
3524	3733	3905	4030	4177	4347	4495	4636	4813	4980	5137	5279	5413	5574	5707	5850	5999
3532	3734	3908	4032	4175	4351	4501	4637	4816	4984	5140	5282	5413	5577	5715	5853	6006
3564	3741	3911	4034	4176	4357	4509	4638	4817	4986	5142	5283	5419	5578	5719	5856	6008
3571	3742	3913	4043	4180	4358	4513	4640	4820	4989	5143	5286	5424	5581	5720	5857	6010
3574	3746	3922	4055	4182	4362	4514	4641	4822	4994	5152	5287	5431	5585	5722	5858	6012
3576	3757	3923	4061	4186	4363	4516	4643	4825	5009	5161	5291	5432	5586	5723	5864	6014
3578	3758	3924	4062	4190	4368	4515	4646	4838	5023	5163	5293	5435	5591	5729	5866	6017
3579	3761	3925	4063	4192	4378	4520	4652	4839	5008	5166	5302	5436	5592	5735	5870	6018
3580	3762	3929	4064	4194	4378	4522	4667	4845	5010	5168	5303	5443	5597	5741	5874	6025
3586	3764	3931	4065	4195	4383	4528	4674	4850	5012	5174	5319	5446	5605	5742	5875	6030
3592	3768	3934	4069	4195	4385	4530	4681	4852	5023	5176	5320	5451	5608	5743	5877	6032
3596	3781	3938	4070	4204	4386	4534	4685	4853	5025	5177	5330	5454	5612	5744	5881	6038
3602	3785	3939	4072	4204	4388	4538	4686	4865	5030	5178	5327	5457	5613	5745	5892	6046
3606	3786	3944	4074	4209	4343	4539	4690	4867	5037	5188	5328	5460	5614	5753	5893	6060
3608	3795	3947	4078	4210	4307	4542	4692	4871	5038	5187	5329	5472	5626	5764	5894	6061
3613	3799	3951	4085	4217	4404	4548	4693	4873	5042	5188	5331	5484	5630	5765	5896	6063
3618	3802	3968	4086	4228	4406	4552	4695	4877	5043	5189	5340	5488	5635	5766	5897	6069
3620	3804	3960	4086	4230	4412	4558	4698	4897	5044	5196	5341	5492	5636	5768	5912	6071
3627	3805	3961	4101	4237	4414	4557	4700	4904	5046	5198	5348	5496	5639	5770	5913	6075
3627	3806	3963	4105	4240	4415	4558	4708	4911	5054	5199	5355	5498	5642	5773	5922	6077
3642	3809	3964	4107	4248	4419	4559	4718	4915	5063	5204	5359	5500	5643	5775	5929	6079
3644	3810	3967	4108	4255	4420	4561	4726	4918	5064	5205	5363	5508	5644	5776	5930	6083
3646	3811	3971	4110	4258	4424	4566	4731	4922	5067	5209	5368	5518	5646	5781	5935	6055
3662	3818	3975	4116	4261	4425	4565	4734	4923	5069	5209	5380	5521	5647	5782	5943	6088
3669	3826	3976	4117	4262	4427	4572	4735	4925	5070	5211	5374	5524	5650	5787	5949	6089
3671	3827	3978	4124	4265	4433	4576	4736	4928	5071	5214	5375	5526	5651	5789	5952	6093
3675	3831	3979	4133	4271	4434	4577	4743	4930	5072	5216	5381	5527	5656	5790	5955	6096
3681	3838	3981	4134	4278	4438	4590	4746	4931	5074	5221	5382	5530	5658	5791	5958	6099
3683	3845	3982	4136	4278	4443	4592	4754	4933	5082	5232	5384	5537	5694	5796	5962	6103
3689	3846	3984	4139	4280	4445	4593	4765	4937	5087	5233	5385	5539	5696	5797	5963	6106
3696	3851	3987	4143	4281	4451	4596	4769	4939	5088	5237	5386	5540	5670	5801	5964	6107
3693	3859	3990	4146	4282	4453	4601	4772	4940	5090	5241	5387	5543	5671	5803	5968	6112
3697	3861	3996	4147	4290	4463	4605	4778	4941	5094	5242	5389	5545	5672	5806	5970	6116
3698	3863	3997	4150	4296	4469	4606	4780	4945	5100	5248	5390	5547	5674	5830	5973	6120
3704	3866	3999	4152	4298	4474	4610	4784	4947	5101	5250	5393	5548	5675	5834	5978	6128

and all numbers from 6132 to 7231 inclusive

SERIES "D" VALUE $500

47	126	202	255	324	431	509	544	577	624	643	663	714	809	898	1000	1041
53	172	210	275	330	432	510	545	581	625	652	707	812	862	1003	1009	1069
90	194	224	286	353	443	521	564	607	640	653	709	738	863	987	1014	1086
88	201	236	288	369	495	537										

All the interest on said bonds of Series "C" denomination of $100 from the numbers three thousand five hundred and one (3,501) to seven thousand two hundred and thirty-one (7,231) inclusive, and all the interest on the fifty-eight (58) bonds Series "D" denomination $500, as indicated in the above list of numbers, shall cease on and after January 1, 1921, the date designated for their redemption.

Both the principal and interest of said bonds will be paid either at Santo Domingo City at the principal office of the International Banking Corporation of New York, designated depositary for the Dominican Government, or at any of its branch offices in the Dominican Republic, or at its office in the City of New York.

Santo Domingo, D. R., October 29, 1920.

Signed: JOHN LOOMIS, Contador General Int.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF HAMILTON TRUST COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Hamilton Trust Company that a special meeting of the stockholders of said Company will be held at the main office of said Company, No. 191 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, New York, on the 19th day of January, 1921, at 1 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon an agreement of merger of this Company with the Metropolitan Bank, duly signed, acknowledged and delivered by the respective officers of the said corporations pursuant to an authorization of the Boards of Directors and Trustees of said corporations, which said agreement of merger has been duly approved by the Superintendent of Banks of the State of New York, said merger agreement providing for the increase of the capital stock of the said Metropolitan Bank from two million ($2,000,000) dollars, consisting of twenty thousand (20,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each to two million five hundred thousand ($2,500,000) dollars, consisting of twenty-five thousand (25,000) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, the object of said increase being to carry into effect the said agreement of merger by which the stockholders of this Company may exchange their shares of stock in this Company for the increased capital stock of the Metropolitan Bank, share for share, or to exercise certain options for the sale of said stock as is therein provided. The name of the Metropolitan Bank when said merger agreement shall become effective is to remain "Metropolitan Bank."

The stockholders' will also be called upon to consider and act upon such other business relating to the above matter as will properly come before the meeting.

The transfer books of this Company closed at 3 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of December, 1920; will reopen at 3 o'clock on the 12th day of January, 1921.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, New York, December 28th, 1920.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

WILLARD E. EDMISTER, President.
GEORGE HADDEN, Secretary.

The Forty-second Street, Manhattanville & St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, corner of 150th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 11TH, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, appointing Inspectors of Election, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all purchases, contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting of the Corporation, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

New York, December 28th, 1920.

JOHN MARONEY JR., Assist. Secretary.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK
New York, December 9, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at its banking house, No. 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

H. C. STEVENS,
Second Vice President.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, to consider amending the Articles of Association so as to increase the authorized number of Directors, and to act upon any other matters which may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, No. 57 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILLIAM P. HOLLY, Cashier.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
No. 270 East 137th Street.

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of this Bank for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking Rooms on Monday, January 10th, 1921, between the hours of 8:30 and 9:30 A. M.

The Transfer Books will close on January 5th, 1921, at 3 P. M., and reopen January 10th, 1921, at 10 A. M.

HENRY J. VAN COOK, Cashier.

BROWN, WHEELOCK COMPANY, INC.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company, 14 Wall Street, on Wednesday, January 5th, 1921, at twelve o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting. The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed at three P. M. December 24th, 1920, and remain closed until 10 A. M. January 6th, 1921.

C. F. DONNELLY, JR., Secretary.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.
New York City, December 24, 1920.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Bank, 44 Wall Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. The polls will remain open until two o'clock P. M.

CHARLES E. CURTIS, Cashier.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

45 Wall Street, December 21, 1920.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election succeeding thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the Fourth day of January next (the first Tuesday), between the hours of 11 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

THE CONTINENTAL BANK OF NEW YORK.

New York, December 23rd, 1920.

The annual meeting of Stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, etc., will be held at the Banking room, No. 28 Broad Street, on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, 1921, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

F. H. HORNBY, Cashier.

U. P. C. REALTY COMPANY, INC.

Notice is hereby given that the Regular Annual Meeting of the stockholders of this company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 220 West 39th Street, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of January, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

H. J. REDFIELD, Secretary.

SAVINGS BANKS.

EMIGRANT INDUSTRIAL BANK SAVINGS

51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK

The Board of Trustees has declared a Semi-Annual Dividend at the rate of

Four Per Cent. Per Annum

ON ALL DEPOSITS ENTITLED THERETO. DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10TH, 1921, WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1ST, 1921.

INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS FROM

$5 to $5,000

JOHN A. DALY, Comptroller. JOHN J. PULLEYN, President.

ASSETS $210,000,000

GREENWICH SAVINGS BANK

Incorporated 1833

S. E. COR. 6TH AVE. AND 16TH STREET, NEW YORK

Interest rate January 1, 1921

FOUR PER CENT.

Per annum, payable on all sums from $5 to $5,000 on and after January 17, 1921

$1 OPENS AN ACCOUNT

DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 10 WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JANUARY 1, 1921

CHARLES M. DUTCHER, President
Secretaries:
FRANCIS M. BACON, JR. B. OGDEN CHISOLM

NEW YORK SAVINGS BANK

N. W. Cor. 14th St. and 8th Avenue

Dividend Jan. 1st, 1921, at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT

per annum on all sums from $5 to $5,000 entitled thereto under the By-laws.

DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10TH WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1ST.

WILLIAM FELSINGER, President.
WALTER E. BRINCKERHOFF, Secty.
CLARENCE L. BLAKELOCK, Treasurer.
Open Mondays from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M.
Other days from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Saturdays from 10 A. M. to 12 M.
Holidays excepted.

Central Savings Bank
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

CORNER 4TH AVE. AND 14TH ST.

Interest at the rate of

FOUR (4) PER CENTUM

per annum will be credited depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1920, on all sums entitled thereto under the By-laws, not exceeding five thousand ($5,000) dollars, and will be payable on and after January 21, 1921.

Deposits made on or before January 10, 1921, will draw interest from January 1, 1921.

HUBERT CILLIS, President.
A. KOPPEL, Treas

MRS. PANKHURST TO FIGHT OUR REDS

English Suffragist Declares Bolshevism's Growth in America Astounds Her.

PLEADS FOR CLOSER BONDS

As an Englishwoman, She Says, She Sees No Reason for Ireland's Separation.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the English suffragist, arrived at the Hotel Pennsylvania yesterday, and announced that she was here this time not to propagate suffrage ideas but to smite Bolshevism wherever and whenever it appears. Incidentally, Mrs. Pankhurst said that as an Englishwoman she did not favor separating Ireland from the rest of the empire.

"I am over here," she said, "to help teach and propagate closer relations between the United States and Great Britain. I am not to speak in New York at this time, but my one desire is to aid in any manner I may the cementing of the bonds that bind our two countries.

"I am fighting what you may call Bolshevism, for lack of a better word. You would be amazed at the spread of the doctrines of jealousy and discontent in your own country. In mine we know it is ever present and must be fought to a finish if society is to retain its equipoise, if not its very existence. But I was astounded, in going about in your Southern States, to find this insidious doctrine of the destruction of society among the less educated people in those States."

On Ireland Mrs. Pankhurst has this to offer:

"No, there is no real separation, only a little body of water hardly wider than some of your rivers. It probably was not there at one time, the land being joined by nature and separated by the same means. There were other portions of the people who objected to British rule, but in the end they found it to their own interests and submitted gracefully. As an Englishwoman, I see no reason for any separation."

Mrs. Pankhurst has finished a tour of Canada and the Southern States. She will carry her campaign next to the Middle West.

ASSAILS HOUSTON ON BONUS

Galbraith Declares Secretary's View Intended as a Scare.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Testimony by Secretary Houston of the Treasury before the Senate Finance Committee yesterday placing the cost of carrying out the pending soldier bonus bill at $2,500,000,000 was characterized by F. W. Galbraith, National Commander of the American Legion, in a statement tonight as "a cuttlefish skirmish to muddy the waters so that the principle involved can be clouded in a lot of figures that mean nothing."

Mr. Galbraith estimated the maximum amount which the bonus bill would cost Government at $2,578,000,000.

"Secretary Houston a whole presentation of the matter," said the legion commander, "was misleading and designed to frighten the country into a repudiation of its obligation to ex-service men. The general impression was conveyed by his testimony that the passage of the Adjusted Compensation bill would entail the immediate appropriation of billions of dollars by the Government and seriously cripple the financial condition of the Treasury at the present time.

"The facts are that appropriations necessary to carry out all features of the bill, except that of cash compensation would be negligible for this year and for several years to come, and that appropriations for cash compensation are not asked until July, 1921, and are to be spread over a period of two years."

WIFE LEAVES R. PEABODY.

Is in St. Paul on Way West—Declines to Discuss Plans.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Rushton Peabody, whose second marriage interested society in New York and St. Paul a year ago, is in St. Paul with her three children. Friends say that her separation from Mr. Peabody is final. She refuses to confirm or deny that she will seek divorce, but admits she is on her way to California for a visit of indefinite length.

Mrs. Peabody was formerly Mrs. Chester Peter Selms of St. Paul. She inherited an estate of more than $3,000,000 on the death, in October, 1918, of her husband, son of a pioneer railroad contractor.

Mr. Peabody is well known in New York social life.

ZAIMIS DEFIES RHALLIS.

Director of Greek Banks Refuses to Resign at the Premier's Order.

ATHENS, Dec. 27.—M. Zaimis, Director of the National Banks, who was Premier when King Constantine was expelled from Greece, has declined to resign his Directorship of Banks at the behest of the Rhallis Ministry. It is said that M. Zaimis will not open the doors of the banks for the present Government, as he did in the case of Premier Venizelos, to whom he advanced 200,000,000 drachmas.

CHIMES TO HONOR PILGRIMS.

Brooklyn New England Society Gift for Plymouth Church.

The Brooklyn New England Society will present to the First Church in Plymouth, Mass., a set of chimes costing $15,000, as a tribute to the Pilgrim Fathers. It was announced last evening by former Park Commissioner Julius K. Kennedy of the society.

The bells, ten in number, will be given next Spring. Kindred organizations and individuals descended directly from the Pilgrims also will contribute to the funds for the gift.

Christmas Dance at the Plaza.

Miss Adaline King Robinson's Christmas dance was held last night at the Plaza. Mrs. Phillips B. Thompson, Mrs. J. C. Raynal, Mrs. Robert S. Brewster, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Mrs. W. de Lancey Mountain, Mrs. John T. Pratt, and Mrs. Harry S. Rankard, formed the committee for the dance. The patronesses included Mrs. Joseph Choate Jr., Mrs. Irving McKeen, Mrs. Ellsworth Eliot, Mrs. Williams C. Potter, Mrs. Harry T. Peters, Mrs. A. Wright Post, Mrs. Philip G. Bartlett, Mrs. Dallas Bache Pratt, Mrs. Granville T. Emmet, Mrs. Eugene R. Reynal, Mrs. B. Ogden Chisolm and Mrs. William H. Barnum.

Rodman Wanamaker's Car Hits Boy.

Joseph Idak, 8 years old, of 1,422 Amsterdam Avenue, was struck and slightly injured by an automobile owned by Rodman Wanamaker at 120th Street and Convent Avenue last night. The car was driven by George J. Burley of Fort Willow Avenue, the Bronx. Mr. Wanamaker was not in the machine, which struck the boy's sled as he was coasting.

RUSSO-POLISH PARLEY MAKING PROGRESS

Reports That It Had Been Broken Off and of a Menace to Latvia Denied.

RIGA, Dec. 28 (Associated Press).—The peace negotiations between the Poles and the Russians were interrupted for only three days at the Christmastide. The commissioners resumed work yesterday, and all the rumors that the negotiations had been interrupted on account of conflict between the commissioners proved to be unfounded.

No trouble is expected to arise inside the peace conference, which it is believed will finish its work, as both sides are interested in reaching an agreement during the Winter.

Reports received here are to the effect that the foreign press recently has been crowded with rumors that trouble is brewing in Latvia and that the Bolsheviki already are crossing the borders of the Baltic States. There seemingly is not the least cause for any such trouble this Winter. The Stock Exchange activities are normal, there is plenty of food for the population, and no internal disturbance is expected, as the Social Democratic Congress held in Riga, Dec. 18 to Dec. 20, took a stand against the communists and rejected adherence to the Third International by a large majority.

The relations between Soviet Russia and the Baltic States lately have been improving. Several commercial treaties are under consideration. It is said that even if Soviet Russia's assurances of loyalty proved unreliable, no trouble can be expected this Winter.

GIRL ESCAPES FROM REDS.

Miss Knigavetch, Red Cross Interpreter, Arrives at Constantinople.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Miss Irene Knigavetch, an interpreter for the American Red Cross, who was captured by the Bolsheviki with Captain Emmet Kilpatrick of Uniontown, Pa., at Novo Alexievska on Oct. 20, when a detachment of Budenny's cavalry swept down the west coast of the Sea of Azov and surrounded the town, has arrived in Constantinople, after escaping from her captors, says a dispatch received by Red Cross Headquarters here today.

When Miss Knigavetch last saw Captain Kilpatrick he was in good health and was being taken to Moscow, the dispatch adds. The Bolsheviki planned to transport him northward from Moscow for release in return for Russians whom the Bolsheviki alleged were being held by the United States Government. Kilpatrick expects to leave Russia by way of Viborg, Finland, in a few weeks.

Miss Knigavetch is a daughter of Prince Knigavetch, head of the Russian Red Cross and a cousin of the late Emperor.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The State Department announced today that it had received information from Baltic sources that a small number of American citizens and a hundred or more persons of British and other nationalities arrived a few days ago at the Soviet Russian border on their way out of Soviet Russia, when suddenly they were taken back to Petrograd.

The department has not received information giving the names of these Americans, nor do official dispatches state why they were not allowed to leave Russia.

TWO-FARE CHARGE BLOCKED

Court Grants Stay Against Brooklyn City Railroad Company.

An order restraining the Brooklyn City Railroad Company from charging two fares on the Flatbush Avenue trolley line was obtained yesterday by Corporation Counsel John P. O'Brien from Justice Alfred R. Page of the Appellate Division of the First Department. The order is returnable on Jan. 7, and thus the announced intention of the company to charge a double fare beginning Thursday is frustrated.

An attempt to make the double charge last Summer resulted in rioting. The matter was carried to the courts, which decided that the company had a right to consider that the line dividing Flatbush from Flatlands made two zones and that it might charge a five-cent fare in each zone.

COURT UPHOLDS EVICTIONS.

Striking Kentucky Miners Must Work or Lose Their Homes.

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Twenty-seven eviction cases have been decided on appeal by the Circuit Court at Pikeville, Ky., in favor of F. A. Lindsay, General Superintendent of the Auburn Coal Corporation at McCarr, Ky., according to information received here today by the Williamson Coal Operators' Association. Pike County is in the Tug River coal field, where a strike has been in progress since July 1 last.

Superintendent Lindsay notified the miners today that they would be evicted Jan. 10. Work at the Auburn mine, which has been idle since the strike was called, is available for the miners, he said, and the alternative is eviction or employment.

Re-elect 4 Election Commissioners.

On recommendation of the Democratic and Republican organizations the Board of Aldermen at its meeting yesterday re-elected as Commissioners of Election for the next two years John R. Voorhis of Manhattan and John Kane of Brooklyn, Democrats, and Charles E. Heydt of Manhattan and Jacob S. Livingston of Brooklyn, Republicans. Mr. Voorhis, it is expected, will continue Chairman of the board.

F. P. Heffelfinger of Yale to Marry.

Frank Peavey Heffelfinger, manager of the Yale football team of 1919 and a sprinter of note, and Miss Elizabeth Bradley will be married on New Year's Day in Houston, Texas. Many of the former classmates of the bridegroom are to attend the wedding.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of HARRY BLOOM, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, December 29, 1920, at 10:30 A. M., at 59 Greene Street, and immediately thereafter at 25 West 19th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of middy blouses, desks, chairs, trunks, typewriters, platform scales, fixtures, etc., at 59 Greene Street, and office furniture and fixtures at 25 West 19th Street.

MAX G. COHEN, Assignee.

ARCHIBALD PALMER, Attorney for Petitioning Creditors and Assignee, 320 Broadway, New York.

Above sale adjourned until Wednesday, January 5, 1921, at 2:00 P. M.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of PHILIP SMITH, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, December 29, 1920, by order of the Court, at 10:00 A. M., at the office of Joseph & Seamans, 1,834 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of Belle Reyes Mantilla.

DAVID W. KAHN, Receiver.

GREENBAUM, WOLFF & ERNST, Attorneys for Receiver, 2 Rector Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of WASHINGTON PLEATING & STAMPING CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Monday, January 10, 1921, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 46 West 17th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of silks, novelties, fixtures, etc.

FELIX H. LEVY, Attorney for Receiver, 120 Broadway, New York.

GERMANY RESTORES LOOT TO LOUVAIN

Sends First Carload of Books Six Years After Sacking of University.

PRICELESS TREASURES LOST

Library Must Be Reconstructed Before It Can Resume Its Place in Scientific World.

Six years after her soldiers sacked Belgium, Germany has begun restoring the loot taken from the library of the pillaged University of Louvain. This was announced yesterday by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, who said that one carload of books had been sent back and that a carload a month would be returned until the library had been rehabilitated.

The restitution, said Dr. Butler, was under the reparation clause of the Treaty of Versailles, but, he pointed out, many of the library's well-nigh priceless historics were gone forever. The Columbia President is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Committee of the United States for the Restoration of the University of Louvain. Associated in the effort to raise $500,000 to replace the university buildings destroyed by the Germans are Herbert Putnam, Librarian of Congress; Thomas W. Lamont, Alexander J. Hemphill and E. H. Outerbridge.

Dr. Butler gave out this message, written by Dr. L. Stanier of Louvain to Mr. Putnam:

"Notwithstanding the material difficulties caused by the destruction of university buildings and the abnormal conditions accruing from five years of intermission, the work done by the students, the number of whom is larger than ever, surpassed that of the very best years, and the result of the examinations during the post-war period has really been very surprising.

"However, the destruction of the library has paralyzed in part the scientific activities which heretofore gave to the university life of Louvain a very special character. Before the war Louvain directed more than thirty periodicals, of which only a small number survive, the others having disappeared through lack of documentation or reference works.

"For the same reason the work of the study circles and the redaction of theses for special doctorates such as theology, political and social science, history, philology, medicine, biology, chemistry, physics, botany, geology, &c., have been seriously hampered.

"These original studies, which heretofore gave to the university a pre-eminent place in the intellectual world and created among the students an elite of pioneer workers in the fields of science, cannot be undertaken again successfully until the library is reconstructed.

"The committee in the United States has sent a large number of reference books, which partially fill these shortcomings. The reconstruction of the building, for which the American committee is appealing to the public, will make it possible for the university to use to better advantage the publications received from abroad and to obtain once more the rank which Louvain had acquired among the first scientific institutions of the world."

Contributions to the Louvain Library Fund may be sent to Dr. Butler at Columbia, or to J. P. Morgan & Co.

Commercial Leases.

M. & L. Hess, Inc., and Albert B. Ashforth, Inc., have leased the fifth floor, containing 20,000 square feet, in the Hess Building, 354 Fourth Avenue, to B. Edmund David, Inc., silk manufacturers, for a term of years at an aggregate rental of $150,000.

Leases for executive offices have been made in the twelve-story building at 149 Madison Avenue, southeast corner of Thirty-second Street, by the St. George Woolen Mills, Faulkner Woolen Mills, MacKenzie Woolen Mills and Plainfield Woolen Mills. The Rowantree-Schley Company acted as brokers.

E. S. Willard & Co. have rented space at 404 Fourth Avenue to Amoury & Bercl, importers and exporters, and at 52 William Street an entire floor to the Federal Light & Traction Company.

Tankoos, Smith & Co. have leased for a client, at the northeast corner of Cortlandt and Greenwich Streets, the second floor for a term of years at a rental aggregating $15,000 to the Ameler Blueprint Company.

The Haggstrom-Calien Company has leased the store and basement at 1,976 Broadway in conjunction with Bert Warner, for a term of five years to the K. J. Edmond Company, auto ignition specialists.

Recent Buyers.

The Ray Realty Corporation is the real buyer of the property at 113 Waverley Place.

The Kemp-Gold Realty Corporation, which owns the five-story flat at 51 St. Nicholas Avenue, is the buyer of the similar building at No. 53.

Activity in Brooklyn.

The two-family house at 178 Ryerson Avenue, plot 25 by 100, between Myrtle and Willoughby Avenues, has been sold for M. Levinson, through the Buckley & Horton Company.

The E. F. Knowles Company sold the two-story dwelling at 273 Berry Street for M. Peterson to a Mr. Frank for occupancy.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of LEPANTO & KLEIN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, January 4, 1921, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 32 West 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of woolens, trimmings, lining, fixtures, etc. ROBERT F. STEPHENSON, Receiver. STROOCK & STROOCK, Attorneys for Receiver, 141 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of VINCENT LAPORA, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Monday, January 3, 1921, by order of the Court, at 2:00 P. M., at 459 Second Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of wholesale stock of groceries, etc. MORRIS FRANK, Receiver. LEON DASHEW, Attorney for Receiver, 21 Park Row, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ABRAHAM KADINSKY, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, December 29, 1920, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 261 Southern Boulevard, Borough of the Bronx, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of dry goods, piece goods, notions, fixtures, etc.

LEWIS H. SAPER, Receiver.

ARCHIBALD PALMER, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of A. GRENSTEIN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, January 18, 1921, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 58 Greene Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of desks, chairs, tables, jewelry, scale, motor, safe, fixtures, etc. ROBERT G. PERRY, Trustee, 68 Broadway.

TRADING IN TENEMENTS.

Small Properties Are in Good Demand by Investors.

Ewing, Bacon & Henry, Inc., sold to a client for investment the seven-story and basement elevator apartment house known as "The Milford" on plot 54.9 by 100 at 209-211 West 101st Street, 100 feet east of Broadway.

The six-story tenement, 40.7 by 100.8, at 243 to 247 East 105th Street has been bought by Aaron Goldberg from Benjamin F. Spellman.

Frank Sullivan and Alexander Henschel sold for the estate of S. M. Jacobus 178 West 137th Street, a five-story flat, 25 by 100, to an investor.

The five-story tenement, 29.3 by 74.5, at 161 East Houston Street, southeast corner of Eldredge Street, has been sold by John Finck, as executor, to Sander Tilatitsky for $32,000.

Samuel Wench sold to William Hartman the five-story flat at 528 East Eighty-eighth Street, 25 by 100.

William Hyman sold 1,968-1,940 Lexington Avenue, two four-story flats, on plot 40 by 65, near 120th Street.

The Twinboro Corporation sold to Frank Houver the six-story new-law flat and stores at 444 East 123d Street, 53.4 by 100.11.

The estate of Frederick Beinhauer sold to Harris Diamond the four-story tenement and store at 2,165 Second Avenue, 25.3 by 74.

VACANT PLOTS SOLD.

Young Men's Hebrew Association Buys on East Ninety-ninth Street.

Several deals for vacant plots which have not been a very active factor in the realty market of late were closed yesterday.

On the upper east side Eugene H. Paul, Secretary of the Young Men's Hebrew Association at Lexington Avenue and Ninety-second Street, bought from the City Real Property Investing Company and others the vacant plot, 50 by 100.11, on the south side of Ninety-ninth Street, 250 feet east of Fifth Avenue. The property is alongside the three private garages erected by Otto H. Kahn.

On the west side Ennis & Sinnott, operators, bought from Charles L. Bailey the vacant plot, 75 by 100, at the northeast corner of Wadsworth Avenue and 178th Street.

W. J. Huston & Son sold for the Pinkney estate, Clarence H. Kelsey, administrator, to Mary Mullen the lot, 25 by 100, on the south side of 144th Street, 525 feet east of Lenox Avenue. Mrs. Mullen will erect a garage.

New Jersey Sales.

J. Spence Wilson has sold his residence at 140 Claremont Road, Ridgewood to W. L. Toy. S. S. Walstrum-Gordon & Forman were the brokers, and they also sold for William G. Hull, the house at 116 Lincoln Avenue, to Mrs. Ellen S. Obrig, and for R. B. Treat a residential lot in Knollwood Park, Hokohus, to Mrs. J. J. Deegan.

The American Bureau of Real Estate was instrumental in bringing about an exchange of acres situated at Crescenta Canada, in Los Angeles County, Cal., owned by a client of Walter H. Raymond attorney of this city, for a large plot of ground located on Main Street, Orange, owned by E. V. Houghton of Los Angeles.

Westchester Buyers.

The residence and two acres of land at White Plains, belonging to the Konman estate has been sold by Joseph Poliatsched, as broker.

E. O. Challenger of New York, has purchased three plots, including more than two acres, at Wykagyl Park, New Rochelle, from the Wykagyl Holding Company. He will erect a residence on the property.

Mrs. Mary Bock has sold three plots on Weaver Street, Larchmont, to a client of Chauncey B. Griffen & Co.

Long Island City Lots Sold.

Three lots at the northeast corner of Vernon Avenue and Tenth Street, Long Island City, have been sold by William H. Murphy for the estate of Michael Custy to H. Mathews, who will improve the plot with a four-story loft building. The same broker also sold a two-family dwelling on the east side of Second Avenue, 75 feet north of Washington Avenue, for C. Todoscht to S. Sedita, and a lot on the east side of Purvis Street, 325 feet south of Jackson Avenue, for C. H. Haug to Welsh Brothers.

Business Property Deals.

The six-story loft structure at 116 and 118 Wooster Street, plot 50 by 100, between Spring and Prince Streets, has been sold through Henry Trenkmann to the United Brush Manufacturers for business occupancy.

Adelaide H. Pybas bought from the Elring Realty Company the three-story building, on a lot 21.2 by 94.9, at 68 East Eleventh Street.

Owned by the Jacob Friedlander estate since 1870, the three-story building, 20.11 by 98.9, at 204 Bowery, near Houston Street, has been bought by the 204 Bowery, Inc., for $16,000.

Private Dwelling Buyers.

The four-story dwelling at 74 West Seventy-ninth Street, on a lot 18 by 102.2, has been purchased by Foot & Martin, Inc., from the Bernheim estate. The house is equipped with an elevator. Foster & Eltinge were the brokers.

The Hoeland estate sold 414 West 147th Street, a three-story and basement dwelling, on a lot 25 by 100.

The three-story dwelling, on a lot 20 by 102.2, at 315 West Eighty-first Street has been sold by Louis C. Raegner, owner of the Hotel Seville, to Dorothy R. Matty.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of A. R. O'NEILL, INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, December 29, 1920, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 48 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of a large quantity of office furniture, desks, typewriters, adding machine, safes, partitions, etc. Also the right, title and interest of the Receiver in and to the lease of the Royal Building Co. and A. R. O'Neill, Inc., for the office occupied by Bankrupt on the fourth floor of 48 William Street, New York, said lease having been made September 1, 1920, and expiring May 1, 1923, the rental of which is $5,670 per annum. Receiver makes no representation as to the validity of loan or occupation of new tenant by landlord." Lease may be inspected at the office of the undersigned attorney and property may be inspected at any time during business hours at bankrupt's office.

JOHN E. JOHNSTON, Receiver.

ZALKIN & COHEN, Attorneys for Receiver, 40 Chambers Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ABRAHAM ELLMAN and SOLOMON GITTELMAN, individually and copartners trading as ELLMAN & GITTELMAN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Wednesday, January 5, 1921, by order of the Court, at 2:30 P. M., at 35 West 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of furs, skins, fixtures, etc.

ARTHUR Y. DALZIEL, Receiver.

SILVER & MOSKOWITZ, Attorneys for Receiver, 220 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of SINGER MOTOR COMPANY, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, January 11, 1921, by order of the Court, at 11:00 A. M., at 118-128 North 3d Avenue, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of automobile parts, supplies, accessories, machines, tools, dyes, rays, scales, runway, etc. MAX LOWENTHAL, Receiver. LAWRENCE BERENSON, Attorney for Receiver, 68 William Street, New York.

EAST SIDE HOME FOR ART CENTRE

Organization Takes Title to Fine Residence at 65 East Fifty-sixth Street.

ACQUIRES ADJOINING HOUSE

The Two Buildings Will Be Extensively Remodeled for Co-operative Art Exhibitions.

With the passing of title yesterday to the Art Centre, Inc., of the four-story dwelling at 65 East Fifty-sixth Street, that organization now practically owns the two houses at 63 and 67, giving a frontage of 40 feet on the north side of the street between Park and Madison Avenues. The residence just acquired was purchased from Emily T. Fairchild, and title to the dwelling at 67 is expected to pass within the next week or so. Plans were filed a short time ago by the architects, Lord & Hewlett, for extensive alterations to the dwellings at an estimated cost of $50,000.

One of the active leaders in the Art Centre work is Mrs. Ripley Hitchcock, and associated with her are Charles Dana Gibson, Emily V. Hammond and several others interested in the progress of the arts. The plan of the Art Centre was inaugurated last Spring at a dinner at which Cass Gilbert, the architect, presided. Bonds to the value of several thousand dollars were then subscribed, and the amount then raised has been considerably enhanced since that time. It is said that the total investment, including funds to carry on the work, will represent from $200,000 to $250,000.

The Art Centre is designed for co-operative art exhibitions. The locality is close to the centre of the new uptown art district. A year ago the well-known Lester Studio building, on the east side of Madison Avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh Streets, was purchased by Gustavus T. Kirby of the American Art Galleries and later he added the dwelling at 57 East Fifty-sixth Street, giving him a plot fronting 200.10 feet on the avenue by 75 feet on Fifty-seventh Street and 125 feet on Fifty-sixth Street. It is expected that in the near future the property will be used by the American Art Galleries for their new home.

The Bronx Market.

The five-story flat at 963 East 179th Street, northeast corner of Vyse Avenue, has been purchased by Harry Cahn from Herbert S. Rowland.

Claude S. Stephens bought from the American Real Estate Company the southeast corner of Hull Avenue and 204th Street, 52.3 by 88.7 by irregular.

Max Holtzman sold to Solomon Goldberg 609 Union Avenue, southwest corner of 151st Street, a three-story house, on a lot 25 by 100.

Moses Katzenelson sold to the Marnat Construction Company (Isidor Withind, F. E. Tinsley and S. Sackheim, directors) the five-story flat and store at 3,804 Third Avenue, on a plot 26 by 100.

M. Taylor Pyne Jr. a Seller.

The building at 10 East Sixty-first Street, recently altered into a bachelor apartment house, on a lot 25 by 100 feet, between Fifth and Madison Avenues, has been sold to an investor by Moses Taylor Pyne Jr. He purchased the property last year to protect the rear light of his residence at 8, and is resold with the rear restricted. It was held at $125,000, and is in the same block with the residence of Elbridge T. Gerry, Mrs. Arthur Julian Moulton, Mrs. Pembroke Jones, Mrs. Jabes A. Bostwick, John T. Pratt, T. Suffern Tailer and Henry L. Batterman. The broker was the firm of Worthington Whitehouse.

Plan $1,400,000 Printing Building.

Plans have been filed by William E. Austin, architect, providing for erection of a nine-story printing house, 80 by 365 feet, at the corner of Jackson Avenue and Hulst Street, Long Island City, for the Printers Realty Company. The estimated cost is $1,400,000.

The structure will be of reinforced concrete, designed for heavy loading and equipped with the best of every modern essential for the various departments of a large printing establishment. It has a private siding on the Long Island Railroad, and special attention has been paid to receiving and shipping facilities.

Sells Fifty-sixth Street Garage.

The two-story garage at 156 West Fifty-sixth Street, 25 by 100, has been sold by George S. Rush for George M. Shaffer. It was held at $60,000.

Results at Auction.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.

By Jacob H. Moyers.

96th St, 300 to 310 e. s., 150 ft. s of 2d Av, 75x100.8, three-story shop, and three-story laundry; Harris Levy against M. Bowsky Fur Dressing and Dyeing Co. et al.; Abraham Greenberg, attorney; due, $9,702.36; taxes, &c., $1,035.44; prior liens, $22,000; to the plaintiff for $36,000.

By James J. Donovan.

Nelson Av, 1,014 e. s., 150.5 ft n of 164th St, 21x84.3x5.3x81, two-story dwelling; Title Guarantee and Trust Co., trustee, against James Corduke et al.; Harold Swain, attorney; due, $7,020.97; taxes, &c., $794.73; to the plaintiff for $4,000.

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29TH—ONE, TWO, THREE ROOMS, KITCHENS, BATHS. CHELSEA 6005.

40TH ST., 104 WEST—Sublet six months, 2 rooms, kitchenette, bath, telephone; new elevator apartment bldg.; $175. Bryant 4455.

43D, 125 WEST—Elevator, beautiful two-room apartment; newly decorated; bath; $150.

47TH, 341 WEST — New elevator building; cleanliness; furnishings unequaled; 1-2-3 rooms, tiled bath, showers, tiled kitchenettes; unquestionable applicants; high-est references essential; $65-$125 up monthly. Longacre 5600.

48TH ST., 127 WEST—Beautifully furnished with piano, 2 room, private bath, apartment, complete hotel service, by week or month. J. H. Kenny, Bryant 874.

47TH, 135 WEST—To sublet, two rooms, bath; special rates for one month; balance of season. Mr. Sanborn, Hotel Flanders.

48TH ST., 62 WEST—2-room apartment, kitchenette, bath, private phone. Call Leason.

49TH ST., 11 WEST—Attractively furnished large studio room, bath. Apply Carlsch.

50TH ST., 29 WEST—Two rooms, kitchenette, bath. Call or write Brennan.

51ST ST., 317 WEST—Three and four room apartments, furnished; elevator.

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56TH, 136 WEST—Two large handsome rooms, bath, pantry; bachelors preferred. Kent.

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56TH ST. (Near 5th Av.)—Modern elevator apartment of 4 rooms and bath; beautifully furnished; rent for 2 months or longer. Telephone Circle 6393.

56TH, 208 WEST (HOTEL THORNDYKE)—VERY ATTRACTIVE 2 AND 3 ROOM SUITES, WITH PRIVATE BATH; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

57TH ST., 240 WEST.

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67TH, 144 WEST — Lady leaving city will lease small, sunny apartment, newly furnished; elevator, kitchenette; sun porch, telephone; references. Circle 6275 for appointment.

57TH, 859 WEST—Attractive front 2-room apartment, kitchenette, bath; $135; lease to October; call 11-8. Schultz.

57TH, 145 WEST—Sunny two rooms and bath, furnished; $95; lease. Cobb.

58TH ST., 21 WEST—3d floor, front, large sitting room with fireplace, bedroom and bath; completely furnished in mahogany; restaurant in building; maid service by arrangement; sublet to Oct. 1. Apply Superintendent on premises.

58TH, 57 WEST—A LADY GOING SOUTH WILL RENT MAGNIFICENTLY FURNISHED APARTMENT, 6 ROOMS, ADJOINING NEW YORK ATHLETIC CLUB; 6 MONTHS OR LONGER. APPLETON.

58TH, 132 WEST—Newly decorated apartments; rooms and private baths; all conveniences; maid and valet service. 4724 Circle.

58TH, 47 WEST—Sublet attractive two-room apartment, bath, kitchenette, charmingly furnished.

59TH, 38 WEST—Sublet bargain, 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $200. Simpkins's apartment.

59TH ST. (Central)—Two large rooms, kitchenette, bath, $175. Telephone 3779 Plaza.

61ST ST., 10 WEST (The Pasadena), corner Broadway, near elevated, subway—Newly decorated 2, 3, 4 rooms, bath, light, linen, maid service included; $30-$55 weekly; restaurant in building. Columbus 4400.

61ST ST.—8-room apartment for sale; rent $1,200 per year. Apply Wm. A. Taylor, Inc., 205 Columbus Av.

69TH ST., 106 WEST.

2 rooms, bath and kitchenette in high-class apartment house; immediate possession; $1,300.

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72D, 128 WEST — Unusually large, sunny apartment, combination living and dining room, two open fireplaces, piano, bedroom, kitchenette, bath; private phone. Spencer.

72D, 312 WEST—Handsomely furnished two-room kitchenette apartment, 4th floor front; $225.

72D, 139 WEST—Well-furnished two rooms, bath, kitchenette; new building. Cardiff.

72D—Two rooms, front; kitchenette; bath; beautifully furnished; $150. Columbus 1278.

77TH ST., 338 WEST, (Corner Riverside Drive)—One, two and three large rooms, bath; beautifully furnished apartments, with bath; beautifully furnished and maid service. Apply Superintendent.

Furnished—West Side.

79TH, 121 WEST—Luxurious furnished apartment 16x20, bath, kitchenette; remodelled, private house; $125; also breakfast and living room, 16x24, bedroom, bath, kitchenette, southern exposure; call all week. Phone Academy 550, apartment 10. Hofmann.

79TH ST.—Subway; real home, six or seven refined business adults; four chambers, extra closets, twin beds, two double beds, single beds; all outside, sunny rooms; private telephone; exclusive elevator apartment; business necessitates change; $275 month 'till June or longer. Schuyler 4317.

79TH ST., 213 (near Broadway)—Entire floor; open fireplaces; every modern convenience.

80TH ST., 102 WEST—Furnished and unfurnished apartments, 1 and 2 rooms. Hotel Anderson.

81ST, 203 WEST (7F)—Charming two room and kitchen apartment, attractively furnished.

82D ST., 319 WEST (near Riverside Drive)—Two, three large rooms, private bath, kitchenette, newly decorated, furnished; maid service.

84TH ST. (Near Central Park West)—Leaving town, exceptional opportunity; secure exclusively furnished, two-room, bath and kitchenette apartment; $200 per month.

84TH, 130 WEST—Elegantly furnished 3-room apartment; newly decorated; housekeeping; telephone; immediate possession; $150. Apt. 2.

84TH, on West End Av.—5 rooms, 2 baths; all outside; new building; $300. Col. 1278.

86TH, 333 WEST—Furnished apartment and rooms, with or without board.

86TH, 330 WEST—Furnished, unfurnished, 2 rooms, kitchenette, bath; immediate. Apt. 4.

89TH, 332 WEST—Charming front apartment; river view; two rooms, kitchenette. Riebel.

89TH, 305 WEST — Large room, adjoining bath; kitchenette; $85; sunny basement, $75.

90S, Riverside—Sumptuous, newly furnished, artistic four-room, foyer, studio, housekeeping apartment; complete library, grand piano, Oriental rugs; suitable for refined, discriminating people; Jan. 15 to Oct. 1; $325 monthly. Riverside 630.

91ST, 11 WEST—Beautifully furnished 7-room apartment, elevator building; convenient Park, until October next only; $250 monthly.

91ST, 20 WEST—Sale or rent, beautifully furnished 2-room apartment. Laurence.

94TH ST., 3 WEST (corner Central Park West)—Christian family offer bright, comfortably furnished front suite, living room, bedroom (twin beds) and bath, large closets; two gentlemen or business couple. Apartments 5 North, Jordan. Phone for appointment Riverside 1162.

95TH, 336 WEST—Small five-room elevator apartment, completely furnished, piano, linen, $150. Apply after noon, Apt. 46.

97TH ST., WEST (near Riverside Drive)—Beautifully furnished six rooms and bath; excellent cook, if desired; immediate possession; reference. Phone Riverside 7968.

97TH (West End Av.)—Two large rooms, kitchenette, steam heat, parquet floors, attractively furnished; $200 month. Riverside 10071.

101ST (630 West End Av.)—Attractive, sunny front apartment, living room, dining room, bedroom, kitchen, bath; couple; lease. Phone Riverside 2777.

101ST, 215 WEST—8 outside rooms, luxuriously furnished; 3 baths; period furniture. Oriental rugs; $600. Apt. 7C.

103D, 208 WEST—Three rooms, use kitchen; rent $85; married people. Telephone Snoeck, Academy 4247, before 5.

105TH, 320 WEST—High-class two-room apartment beautifully and completely furnished, for light housekeeping. Inquire Janitor.

107TH, 258 WEST—Large room with kitchenette; $60 monthly; references; private house.

107TH, 107 WEST—2 and 3 rooms; high-class; $75 up; weekly rates during holidays. Telephone Academy 1611.

110TH, 509 WEST—SUMPTUOUS HOME; SIX BEAUTIFUL ROOMS, EVERYTHING NEW; FRONT; SOUTH; $300. 5B.

111TH ST., 272 WEST (Manhattan Av.)—Six beautiful rooms, facing Morningside Park. Cathedral 3711.

112TH ST., 533 WEST—Private, high class, 4-room front apartment; artistically furnished; sublet 4 months, $185 monthly; references. Bentley. Cathedral 7525.

112TH ST., Broadway—Well-furnished four room apartment, until May; $200. Cathedral 8625.

113TH, 504 WEST—Exceptionally desirable four-room apartment; sunny, warm, attractive; linen, silver, everything for housekeeping; $150; references.

114TH, 514 WEST—To October, 5 rooms, fronting Columbia campus; complete silver, linen; $150. Miss Weissbrod.

115TH, 357 WEST—Three beautiful rooms complete for housekeeping; player-piano, Victrola; $125; lease; references. Hausen. Cathedral 6140.

115TH, 403 WEST, (College Section)—Well-appointed seven room; elevator. Apt. 22.

116TH ST., 610 WEST—5 rooms, 3d floor front; immediate possession; lease and part 1; references required; also 3 rooms, bath and kitchenette apartment, Jan. 1. Telephone 3040 Morningside.

116TH ST., Broadway—Seven rooms, four master bedrooms; high-class building; immediate possession; to June; $350. Cathedral 5825.

118TH, 210 WEST (HOTEL CECIL)—ATTRACTIVE 1-2 ROOM APARTMENTS, WITH, WITHOUT BATH; SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

119TH, 435 WEST (opposite Columbia)—3 rooms, kitchenette, 10th floor; immediate. 10G.

122D ST., 620 WEST—All outside, 6-room, well furnished apartment; river view; seen Sunday morning, week day afternoons; rent $65. Woodard.

123D, 536 WEST—For sale, newly decorated five-room furnished apartment; immediate possession; steam, electricity; $50. Janitor.

124TH, 537 WEST (Broadway)—Large, handsome suite, kitchen; southern exposure; parquet floors; piano; $25; elevator, telephone. Apt. 42.

127TH, 607 WEST—Four rooms, high-class, elevator; immediate possession. MacDonald.

145TH (676 Riverside Drive)—4 attractive rooms, $150; Sept. 15. Apartment 6B.

161ST ST., 56 (Fort Washington Av.)—Attractively furnished large bedroom, dining room, kitchen; elevator apartment; rent extremely reasonable. Apt. 4.

177TH, 598 WEST (Apt. 59)—Furnished apartment, two rooms, bath, kitchenette, elevator.

181ST, 575 WEST—Jan. 1, 4 months, modern 4-room, elevator apartment, furnished in brown mahogany; linen, silver, twin beds, fireless cooker, &c.; reasonable. Tel. Wadsworth 9300, Superintendent.

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A SUPERLATIVELY elegant Duplex Apartment, 50-foot Studio. Fortune in furnishings. Solarium. Mezzanine. Yard. Concert Grand Piano. Seldom such opportunity for luxurious home. Bargain, $500 monthly to October. Schuyler 2720.

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Two to six room, kitchen and kitchenette apartments; elevator; non-elevator; rates $40 up; references essential. Office open Sunday), 215 Manhattan Av. Academy 1867.

BACHELOR will share with gentleman large apartment, separate dressing rooms and baths; solid comfort. Y 2444 Times Annex.

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CENTRAL PARK WEST (60'S)—6 rooms, 3 baths, and 6 rooms and 2 baths.

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RIVERSIDE DRIVE—6 rooms and 2 baths.

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East Side.

307TH (corner Lexington Av., 162)—Room with meals, $18 weekly up; good home cooking, hotel service, elevator, telephone; for women exclusively. Hotel Rutledge.

35TH, 20 EAST—Large room, private bath; second floor.

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Double room, bath; single room; references.

45TH, 14 EAST—Rooms with board; table guests accommodated. Rhinelander 6006.

MADISON AV., 813 (near 54th)—Attractive rooms; excellent table; references.

West Side.

76TH, 6 WEST—Elegant large room, bath, suitable two or three; refined Jewish boarding house; table guests. Berger.

83D ST., 64 WEST—Single and double rooms, with board; references.

89TH, 42 WEST—Elegant large rooms, private bath; steam; table the best.

93D ST., 255 WEST—Large, double room; suitable for three persons.

93D ST., WEST—Charming, refined home; exceptional food and accommodations. Columbus 1631.

97TH ST. (near Riverside)—Large, handsomely furnished front room, adjoining bath; in Christian family; excellent home cooking; also front single room for gentleman. Columbus 2130 or Rector 9945.

97TH, 133 WEST—Large room, private bath; good home cooking; references; reasonable.

97TH, 129 WEST—Double sunny rooms; excellent table; parlor dining; table guests.

97TH, 312 WEST—Large, double room, private bath; board.

97TH, 143 WEST—Large, warm room; 2d floor; table board; homelike; references.

98D, 124 WEST (Graycourt) — Attractive, modern steam heat; references; table guests.

98D, 5 WEST—Newly furnished room with running water; excellent cuisine. Jay.

99TH ST., 9 WEST—Refined Hebrew family, room, bath; gentlemen, couple; excellent board; also few table guests.

103D, 230 WEST—Front parlor apartment, singles; continuous hot water; home cooking; 2 doors broadway facing Marseilles Hotel.

105TH, 320 WEST—Private hotel; beautiful rooms; also suite with private bath; Austrian cuisine; only permanent guests considered.

119TH ST. CORNER (2,850 B'way)—Two connecting rooms, large and airy, facing B'way; elevator service; modern improvements; private family; references required. C. Deutsch.

120TH, 128 WEST—Double room, private bath; Jewish table. Brody, Morningside 3123.

121ST, 414 WEST—Large, warm rooms, board; near Columbia College. Apt. B.

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West Side.

89TH, 254 WEST—Front room, two windows; well furnished; next bathroom; elevator; private family; gentleman. Apartment 9.

89TH, 254 WEST—Medium sized room, adjoining bath; references. Riverside 6958. Sands.

92D, 247 WEST—Furnished rooms, with and without private bath; all improvements. Riverside 6343.

106TH, 140 WEST—Comfortable front room, elevator apartment; business people; references. Anderson.

107TH, 220 WEST—Attractive, comfortable, large; refined home; gentlemen; references. Apt. 32.

111TH, ST., 610 WEST—Desirable light room; conveniences. Stern. Tel. Cathedral 7905.

111TH, 606 WEST—Attractive single room; elevator; private family; references. Apt. 24.

112TH, WEST (near B'way)—Sunny; restaurant in house; New Englanders. Cathedral 8044 J.

112TH, 73 WEST—Large, well heated, bath adjoining; private house. Schuyler 4065.

113TH (between 7th and 8th Avs.)—Delightful large double front room, beautifully furnished. Telephone Cathedral 6130.

115TH ST., 610 WEST—Room, $10; student, business woman. Apt. 63A.

118TH, 406 WEST—Sunny suite, or single; Columbia College section; elevator. Apt. 32.

126TH (near Riverside)—Double and single rooms, private family. Morningside 6404.

118TH, 310 WEST—HOTEL CECIL. ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT PRIVATE BATHS; SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

122D, 515 WEST—Suite of two sunny, southern rooms, private; very desirable; 1-6th. Telephone Morningside 5540, evenings.

123D, 513 WEST—Large rooms, two beds, adjoining bath; elevator, shower. Nichols.

123D, 508 WEST—Very large beautiful double room (rose); kitchen privileges; $14.

124TH, 557 WEST (Broadway)—Sunny rooms, single, en suite; kitchen privileges; phone, elevator, telephone; $9, $36, $40.

125TH, 634 WEST (Apt. 42)—Neat single and double room; reasonable rate.

126TH, 607 WEST—Clean, sunny room for gentleman; private family; $7. Thomas.

126TH, 530 WEST (Apt. 43)—Brand-new furniture; well heated; near subway.

126TH (near Broadway), 87 Hamilton Place, Apt. 20—Nice room; gentlemen.

126D, 528 WEST—Two rooms, private bath, dressing room; electricity; private family.

127TH, 640 WEST—Beautifully furnished front room, all windows, electricity, water, heat; centrally located; subway, "L"; business people.

128TH, 544 WEST—Furnished room; improvements; suitable one-two gentlemen. Silbert.

128TH, 611 WEST—Very comfortably furnished rooms for business men in private, respectable, quiet residence; plenty of air and light; references wanted.

128TH, 536 WEST (Riverside, Near Broadway Station)—Parlor and bedroom for couple or more persons; reasonable.

128TH, 545 WEST—Beautiful room, twin beds; kitchen privileges; bath. Apt. 66.

AMSTERDAM AV., 2,800—Nicely furnished heated room, bath, telephone, streetricity, elevator.

BROADWAY (Near 96th St. Subway)—Attractive, sunny single rooms and suites, in elevator apartment; newly furnished to suit; phone appointment, Jackson, Schuyler 1961; between 4 P. M. or after 8 evenings.

BROADWAY, 3,544 (145th)—Large, outside, sunny room; bachelor quarters; all improvements. Mayer.

CLAREMONT AV., 180 (Apt. 65)—Attractive rooms; heat, phone; private family; reasonable.

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IRVING PLACE, 56—Charmingly furnished rooms, superior private house); centrally located; references.

LARGE, warm, outside room; private house; American family; all conveniences; continuous hot water; $10. 904 St. Nicholas Av.

LARGE, light room, private family; Washington Heights. Write J. K., 2,525 B'way.

MANHATTAN AV., 372 (Apt. 54)—Pleasant room; elevator; improvements. Phone Cathedral 8360.

PRIVATE Christian family desire to rent large room, bath, every convenience to gentleman; references required. Phone Riverside 4264.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Christian widow will share elegantly furnished six-room apartment with refined lady; references. Phone Morningside 6620.

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RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Superb room for refined people; magnificent fireproof elevator apartment. Tel. Schuyler 544 from 10-4.

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RIVERSIDE, 181 (87th)—Beautiful room, dressing room; modern bath; kitchenette privilege.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 855—Well furnished room; business woman; private family. Apt. 23.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 259 (83d)—Large room overlooking Hudson; private family. Apt. 5E.

ST. NICHOLAS AV., 321 (Apt. 34)—Neatly furnished room; elevator apartment; references.

VOCAL STUDENT wishes part time use of piano in home or lady's studio. D. Wilson, 110 East 90th St.

WEST END AV., 770—Attractively furnished parlor floor; suitable doctor or studio.

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GRAND CONCOURSE, 1,049 — Room with kitchen privilege; young lady. Telephone 42d Juvenile.

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Furnished.

BACHELOR desires room, upper west side, with small family, private bath or running water; permanent; references; state terms. D 371 Times.

QUIET bachelor wants one or two furnished rooms, with private bath and electricity; must be in good neighborhood and reasonable rent. K 319 Times.

BUSINESS MAN, single, refined; modern conveniences, American private family; references; reply full particulars. L 705 Times Downtown.

YOUNG WOMAN student desires sunny room, kitchen privileges, or share apartment with congenial girl; under 30. C 367 Times.

LARGE, sunny room, with bath, near "L" or subway; man and wife; state rate. L 994 Times Downtown.

GENTLEMAN desires furnished room in small apartment; no other roomers. D 276 Times.

147TH ST., 413 WEST—Rooms, well furnished, all modern conveniences, residential section.

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AT ONCE, room or office, preferably with bath, suitable studio and living; private residence; reasonable. Chelsea 7000.

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BILLING CLERK—Young lady wishes position. Sheldon, 219 West 20th, care Cox.

BOOKKEEPER—Beginner, Hebrew; I write a good hand, am quick and accurate and have been drilled in the most modern methods of accounting; satisfactory references can be given; very good ability will start at $16. Miss X., 36 West 123d St., phone Harlem 518.

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BOOKKEEPER STENOGRAPHER, high school graduate, 5½ years' experience, seeks responsible position; excellent references; $30. L 689 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, accountancy student, knowledge controlling accounts, trial balances, financial statement; $16. K 329 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, cost accountant, knowledge stenography and typewriting, capable office manager; eight years' experience; $35. A 783 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, competent, double entry, controlling accounts, trial balance; 15 years' experience; references. A 1080 Times Harlem.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, experienced, controlling accounts, trial balance; executive ability. D 248 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. V 140 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, thorough knowledge; has taken full charge of large office; also stenography. C 126 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, competent, 4½ years' experience, operates Underwood bookkeeping machine, wishes position. C 128 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, knowledge accountancy, controlling accounts, trial balances, etc. Auslander, 31 West 110th.

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BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, 8 years' experience; thoroughly competent; $30. A 781 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 2 years' experience; salary $25; dress line experience. K 304 Times.

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COMPANION—Widow wishes position as companion to middle-aged or elderly woman; good reader, intelligent shopper and accustomed to traveling; excellent references. Y 3438 Times Annex.

COMPANION, SEAMSTRESS, to lady going South; moderate salary. Grey, 241 West 75th St.

COMPANION to lady, secretary, by graduate nurse. D 262 Times.

COOK, good, reliable; reference. Call or write 107 East 64th St.

DOMESTIC HELPER, Japanese girl; duty morning and evening. Taka, 108 West 48th. Bryant 9606.

DRESSMAKER, expert, fancy tailored gowns, coats, capes, desires engagement by day; private family. Telephone 1508 Riverside.

DRESSMAKER—Smart gowns, chic remodeling; $2 day; expert fitter. Phone Lenox 7254.

DRESSMAKER, high class, expert designer, out by day; reasonable. J 341 Times.

GOVERNESS, nursery, mother's helper ($20), large, excellent connecting; bath; private family. Riverside 9042.

GOVERNESS, refined, educated young woman, will go South or travel and care children; references exchanged. D 266 Times.

GUIDE-COMPANION—American lady, having lived years in Europe and Near East, would take position as guide-companion for ex-cursions; congenial lady wishing to spend Winter abroad. S. Hewes, 45 Broadway.

HOUSEKEEPER—American Protestant woman would like position as housekeeper where girl of 20 going to business can board with her; no objection to children or out of town. Bosworth, 1,217 Glenwood Road, Flatbush, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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HOUSEKEEPER, practical, working, respectable and refined woman, excellent cook, fond of children, capable of assuming full charge of position of trust wanted. Phone Morningside 4235, or M 119 Times.

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HOUSEKEEPER—Trustworthy Jewish lady wishes position where help is kept, or companion to elderly lady; accustomed South, traveling. C 137 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER, refined, good cook, wishes position business people. B 1057 Times Harlem.

HOUSEMAID — Southern lady, closing her house, would like good place for her colored maid as housemaid to assist in fine ironing and mending; no washing, no cooking; good wages; best references. C 142 Times.

HOUSEWORKER, colored, wishes work with business lady; sleep in; reference; good cook. Audubon 1856, Apt. 6A.

HOUSEWORKER, Irish girl, lately landed; private house preferred. Write Box 15, 1,863 3d Av.

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LAUNDRY—All-day work wanted by colored woman, take home. Call three days, Hallis, 305 West 139th St., basement.

NURSE, practical; adult or child; references; answer all week. Write L. G. Ross, 700 West 190th St., Apt. 6.

SEAMSTRESS—French, wishes position by day; references. Margot Hayward, 408 West 33d St., New York.

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STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, 15 years in publishing line, Christian, desires position with reliable concern; salary $35. E 117 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, experienced, educated, ambitious. A 969 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, neat and capable; excellent references; $25. A 965 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, experienced, Christian, legal work preferred; $35. L 690 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 6 years' experience, high school graduate; competent; $25. Tel. Prospect 10262.

STENOGRAPHER, 8 years commercial and patent law; trustworthy. A 786 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, SWITCHBOARD, CAPABLE, INSURANCE EXPERIENCE. A 991 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

STENOGRAPHER, two years' experience, accurate, reliable; $18. Box 1, 301 East 70th St.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, Christian; 5 years' experience; references; $25. A 966 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, three years' experience; references; salary $20. V 328 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, knowledge bookkeeping, capable assuming executive duties, correspondent. L 715 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, complete knowledge office routine, capable taking charge of office; $30. C 127 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - BOOKKEEPER, experienced, high school graduate, efficient; $35. A 783 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, high school graduate, capable, excellent references, desires position; moderate salary. K 335 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, experienced office detail, handling correspondence without dictation. D 292 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, private secretary, high school graduate; 3 years' experience; best references; security experience. J 348 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, one year's experience, switchboard operator; reference; $16. L 708 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, familiar office details, 5 years' experience; $25. A 774 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, thoroughly experienced, good education; personality; refined; intelligent. A 779 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPIST, beginner; good speller; accurate. B., 202 West 116th St. University 6950.

STENOGRAPHER and assistant bookkeeper, experienced, accurate at figures; references. N 211 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-BOOKKEEPER — Competent; two years' experience; reference; $35. A 785 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, efficient, high school graduate; 4½ years' experience; $35. K 351 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, two years' experience; accurate, willing; references; $15. L 704 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, three years' experience; office assistant; references; $20. L 706 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, French, English, experienced, conscientious; excellent references. J 345 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, office assistant, two years' experience, ability. L 712 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 17, intelligent beginner, 2 years' high school. Telephone Lenox 7167.

STUDENT, desiring home, would render service secretarial or domestic services for same. Box 1005 Times.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, 4 years' experience, typist; permanent position. A 995 Times Downtown.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, two years' experience; office assistant; $17. A 767 Times Downtown.

TEACHER—Young lady seeks position, French and German, experience. E 85 Times.

TEACHER of interpretative and folk dancing wants position. Write W 104 Times.

TYPIST, office assistant; three years' experience; references; $18. L 699 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, rapid stenographer, three years' experience, desires position. E 1225 Times Bronx.

TYPIST, general office work; five years' experience. T. D., 117 Times.

YOUNG GIRL, refined South American, wants position in doctor's office; had two years' experience as assistant to Bonte Arnoux, can doctor. Reply, 58 West 68th St. Rodrigues.

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YOUNG LADY, excellent education, hard worker, executive ability, three years' publishing experience; would leave city. K 341 Times.

YOUNG LADY, refined, experienced cashier, wishes position at anything. K. M., care Mrs. F. Tice, 501 West 133d St., New York.

YOUNG LADY, bill clerk, assistant bookkeeper; salary $23. A 708 Times Downtown.

YOUNG LADY—Any kind office work; experienced; references. S., 402 54 Av.

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ACCOUNTANT—Books systematized, closed, audited; arrangements firms without bookkeepers, tax specialist; reasonable. Greene, 1457 Hudson Terminal Building. Telephone Cortlandt 1378.

ACCOUNTANT—Books audited, closed, systematized, tax reports, arrangements firms without bookkeepers. F. Parrett, Room 901A, 25 Broadway. Telephone 1063 Whitehall.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, 22, 3 years' audit department experience, desires connection public accountant. A 770 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, bookkeeper, credit man, highly educated, experienced, initiative, executive, selling ability, desires permanent connection. A 769 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, audited, systems, tax reports, arrangements firms without bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly up. Goldstein, 299 Broadway. North 8085.

ACCOUNTANT, 26, six years' experience, passed N. Y. C. P. A. examinations, seeks part or full connection with C. P. A. firm. A 994 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, experienced, third year New York University, desires connection with public accountants; available immediately. L 709 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT-BOOKKEEPER, five years' experience, desires employment two or three days weekly; please state terms. D 262 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, four years' experience, seeks position with firm of public auditors or a responsible position with a manufacturing concern. Nester, 173 E. 102d.

ACCOUNTANT, certified, several days week open, desires connection with firm of accountants. B 1226 Times Bronx.

ACCOUNTANT, student, 21, experienced junior, desires position with accountant. K 330 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, credit, office man (25), now similarly employed; university training; seek change. A 1086 Times Harlem.

ACCOUNTANTS—Arrangements firms without bookkeepers; books opened and closed, statements prepared. J 349 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, semi-senior, desires connection with certified accountant. A 980 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, public experience; audits, income tax; well educated; references. J 344 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, one year's experience with certified public accountant. C 138 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, desires connection certified firm; tax knowledge. A 760 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, senior Pace student, seeks accounting firm connection. A 967 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, closed, audits, tax statements. Cooper, 1 Broadway, Bowling Green 8855.

ACCOUNTANT—Monthly audits, systems installed, tax reports. Robinson, 128 Broadway. Rector 4275.

ACCOUNTANT, office manager, 15 years' experience; Christian. A 960 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, auditor, American, wide experience, available immediately; unquestionable credentials. K 855 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, certified experience, university senior; audits without supervision. D 217 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 26, college graduate, 2½ years' experience, has knowledge, desires connection certified firm. C 112 Times.

ACCOUNTANT (certified), tax specialist; books opened, closed, audited; very reasonable. Franklin 2644.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, desires position with C. P. A. Y 383 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, experienced, desires position Sunday's and evenings, 141 Times.

ADVERTISING, young man, 4 years' practical experience, thorough knowledge mechanical details, seeks connection, agency or advertising department offering bright future. A 1097 Times Harlem.

ADVERTISING, publicity organizer, director of many aggressive national campaigns. J 352 Times.

ASSISTANT to executive, capable American, 22 years; 3 years' practical office and sales experience; can be really useful to busy executive; familiar with correspondence, knowledge typewriting, correspondent, speak fluent Spanish; will consider anything with future; salary secondary to opportunity; highest credentials. Y 140 Times Annex.

ASSISTANT MANAGER

import, export concern, college graduate, thoroughly familiar with exporters and foreign markets, business experience in America and abroad, highest references, desires position; available Jan. 1. A 735 Times Downtown.

ASSISTANT—Young man, 28, New York University training, wants position as assistant in credit department; experienced bookkeeper, correspondent, office manager; moderate compensation. K 324 Times.

BINDERY FOREMAN, 25 years' experience; best references. C 382 Times.

BOOKKEEPER and credit man, 27, married, thoroughly experienced all office details, looking for connection with progressive concern; highest credentials. Hirschhorn, 148 Floyd St., Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, typist, knowledge Spanish, graduate Commercial High School, desires position where advancement will be based on merit; $35; best references. E 125 Times.

BOOKKEEPER - ACCOUNTANT (23), 5 years' commercial experience, controls payrolls, statements, capable manage office; moderate salary. J 361 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, office manager; young man, thoroughly efficient; correspondent, systematizer, billing charge; excellent credentials. K 320 Times.

BOOKKEEPER.
Seven years' practical experience; capable handling complete set books; also supervising office. A 966 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, young man, unusual ability, education, integrity, general office training, correspondence; references; moderate salary. K 336 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, competent, full set; trial balance, statements, controlling accounts; 7 years' experience; references. Phone Lafayette 6880 after 6.

BOOKKEEPER (26), executive experience; handle credits, correspondence, &c.; capable office man; credentials; $35. J 360 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 27, experienced, desires position; capable taking full charge. J 354 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, Christian, 35; thorough acquaintance all office details; experienced in taking charge. Y 2448 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER—Office man, age 30, married, competent; good knowledge general office routine. L 711 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER - ACCOUNTANT, EXPERIENCED; MODERATE SALARY. D 296 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, 22, thorough business training backed by 3 years' experience; to take full charge. B 1228 Times Bronx.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced double entry, trial balance; stenographer; accountancy student. 927 East 169th.

BOOKKEEPER, clerk, 26, conscientious, wishes position with advancement. A 765 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced accountancy student, desires position with opportunities. C 117 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, ten years' experience, knowledge stenography, typewriting, desires position. D 239 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. S 923 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, college education, renders financial statements; complete charge. D 218 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, 25, accountant, experienced, competent, good correspondent; reference. C 360 Times.

BUTLER, Japanese, first class, do cooking, five years' experience; one family; best references. George Ko, 724 Lexington Av.

CHAUFFEUR, expert mechanic, 9 years' experience high-class cars, desires position with private family; 3 years last employer; best references; neat appearance; all repairs. Spencer, 15 West 109th. 2304 Academy.

CHAUFFEUR, colored, neat and clean, willing, obliging, first class mechanic; 10 years' experience; age 30; can give all personal references; city or country; handy around gentleman's home; available Dec. 30. King, 254 West 137th St.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, thoroughly experienced, desires position touring South; expert, on motorboats; 12 years' references last position; would consider going anywhere; moderate salary. Halligan, 185 Bostwick Av., Astoria. Astoria 2283.

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CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, fifteen years' experience high-grade cars, wishes private position; neat appearance, highest references. D 297 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, 8 years' experience, wishes position, private; any make car; 18 months last employer; references. Tony Russo, 147 West 83d. Schuyler 1200.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, 9 years' experience, all make cars, six years previous position, careful, willing, obliging. Nestor Kunst, 529 West 130th St. Morningside 3200.

CHAUFFEUR, American, single, expert mechanic, 12 years' experience on foreign and domestic cars; first-class references. R. N. Blake, 862 West 50th St., City.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, young man, married, eight years' experience, all makes; best references, desires position private family. Dempster. Audubon 8804.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic; Locomobile, Pierce, Packard expert, position, go anywhere. Hite. 2990 Schuyler.

CHAUFFEUR, Scotch, single, desires position, private; good mechanic; 6 years last position; best references. D 261 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, experienced salesman; cover any territory; best of references. J 342 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, married, wishes position, private; careful driver; A1 reference. Miller, 2,147 Broadway.

CHAUFFEUR—Nine years' experience; any make car; good references; city, country. Emmett, 110 East 59th.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, 28, 12 years' experience, 9 years last position. Rooney, 713 Amsterdam Av. Windsor 7736J.

CHAUFFEUR, married, wishes steady position, private or commercial; reference. Adair. Morningside 4960.

CHAUFFEUR—Gentleman discontinuing automobile recommends exceptionally trustworthy chauffeur. Hendricks, 442 W. 57th.

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CLERK, shipping and receiving, 32, married, 10 years' experience, good marker; A1 references. Nicolai, 91 Prospect St., Brooklyn.

COMPANION—Gentleman wishes position as companion to gentleman; willing to travel; 27 years old; best of references. O. Y. N. Robertson, 346 West 30th St., City.

COMPANION to man, traveled extensively North and South; available. J 354 Times.

CORRESPONDENT, collections, claims, credit; excellent mercantile experience, unquestionable references; energetic young man; college education. D 266 Times.

CUSTOMERS' MAN wants to establish connection for his clientele. C 134 Times.

DESIGNER, structural, technical graduate, 9 years' experience, design steel, concrete, timber structures, including industrial plants, power houses; competent to take charge of work, wishes position with reputable industrial or engineering corporation. A 750 Times Downtown.

DRAFTING, QUANTITY, ESTIMATES, maps, tracings, lettering, contract and construction drawings, civil, mechanical; nothing too large or too small; speed, accuracy; competent men. V 837 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, architectural, several years' experience. S. Fazio, 36 St. Mark's Place, Manhattan.

DRAFTSMAN and machine designer desires additional work; 20 years' experience. Edward D. Roberts, 48 East 41st St.

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EXECUTIVE-MANAGER, Christian, married, 38 years of age, competent to take complete charge and supervise large office force; familiar with all modern systems and appliances; thorough knowledge of bookkeeping, credits, collections, billing and statistical work; highest credentials as to ability and bonds. A 763 Times Downtown.

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keen trader, will improve and create business in the domestic or foreign fields; college man, linguist; 12 years' experience; record of achievements, efficiency, energy; fine reputation. B 1224 Times Bronx.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT—Man, 27 years old, nine years' executive business experience including coats, manufacturing, sales and purchasing, analytical mind, wants permanent connection with future. E 106 Times.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT, three years' practical experience, aggressive, ex-soldier, former college graduate, best references, seeks opening with future; salary secondary to opportunity. E 109 Times.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT, experienced meeting business men, detail, office management, wants to assist busy man. K 342 Times.

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Executive, 30, 10 years' experience manufacturing, packing table luxuries, source supply, purchase, sales, systematizer. A 971 Times Downtown.

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MAN, 22, capable managing office work, correspondence, advertising, buying, selling ability, supervise salesroom, stock, shipping and receiving departments, seeks worthy connections. C 139 Times.

MAN, automobile, desires position early mornings until noon. L 695 Times Downtown.

MAN wants position to take care of invalid gentleman; 20 years last place; handy. D 263 Times.

MAN, 35, married, seeks position; produce, business office or outside. L 693 Times Downtown.

MAN, 36, wishes position; 10 years with last employer managing grocery store. George Brennan, 1,128 40th St., Brooklyn.

MAN, originator and developer of new and old articles, desires connection with rubber company. A 786 Times Downtown.

MAN, 35, good education, knowledge salesmanship, clerical work, desires an outdoor position of similar nature. C 131 Times.

MANAGER, charge curtain factory, desires change; reliable, competent; thoroughly experienced. Harlem 8078, 6-8 evenings.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER desires connection as general manager, works manager, sales manager; fully experienced. Y 2449 Times Annex.

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SALESMAN, Christian, 35, $10,000 type; managerial and executive experience; can successfully negotiate and close large transactions; six years with commercial and industrial corporation; references and bond. J 357 Times.

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SALESMAN, energetic executive, with proved sales ability, desires connection either inside or travel; age 27; former food broker but would entertain any good proposition. A 755 Times Downtown.

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STENOS., insurance; $22; downtown.
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NASSAU AGENCY, 115 Nassau—Bookkeeper-Stenographer, open; Secretary-Stenographer, $23; Bookkeepers, Typists, $20; File Clerk, Typist-Switchboard, $18; File Clerks, $15; Clerk, Typist, $85.

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2 INSURANCE (automobile claim or Fire experience, $28-$25.
5 COMMERCIAL, $20-$23-$25.
TEMPORARY STENOGRAPHERS, $6, $7 day.
10 TYPISTS, $18-$20-$25.
TEMPORARY TYPISTS, $20-$25.
CLERKS
SEVERAL INSURANCE (Policy, collection, fire experience), $70-$90-$100 month.
HOLLERITH PUNCH OPERATORS, $20-$25.
BEGINNERS (good penman), $15.
F. X. GOGGIN AGENCY,
253 B'way. Stenographers, Typists, Clerks.

HELP WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANTS.
A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY IS OFFERED TO EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTANTS WELL VERSED IN TAX MATTERS; MUST BE CAPABLE OF ASSUMING FULL CHARGE OF IMPORTANT TAX AUDITS AND WILLING LEAVE TOWN ON LONG ENGAGEMENTS. APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE COMPREHENSIVE AND MADE BY LETTER ONLY.
SEIDMAN & SEIDMAN,
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS,
41 PARK ROW.

ACCOUNTANTS, seniors, wanted by large firm of certified public accountants doing important work; those preferred who have had a large and varied experience with other certified public accountants or with large corporations where they have had to do with the auditing and general accounts of the concern; good salary and permanency for the proper ones; give full particulars as to experience, salary desired, references, &c. A 757 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANTS—A firm of public accountants desires to increase its permanent staff by the addition of a senior, and can use several juniors for a temporary period; give full particulars in first letter, including education, experience, and salary expected. Address Accountants, L 691 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANTS, SENIORS OF PLEASING PERSONALITY AND SEVERAL YEARS' PUBLIC EXPERIENCE; KNOWLEDGE OF TAX WORK DESIRABLE, BUT NOT ESSENTIAL; STATE PARTICULARS, INCLUDING SALARY, &C. W 86 TIMES.

ACCOUNTANT, competent, familiar with English and Spanish and cost accounting for manufacturing business, to be employed in Mexico; give full particulars. K 340 Times.

ACCOUNTANT wanted, with public accounting experience, by C. P. A. for temporary work; position may prove permanent; state full particulars. Y 2425 Times Annex.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, with C. P. A. firm; good appearance, knowledge typewriting, good penman; state salary, experience and references. S 761 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, temporary position, experienced on architect's accounts preferred; state briefly fullest particulars. V 838 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR.
Thirty per cent. commission will be paid to a solicitor acquainted with hotels; big and brand new proposition. Call, 10 to 4, Room 200 Annex, 120 Liberty St.

ADVERTISING SOLICITORS, commission basis. THE DEBUTANTE MAGAZINE. Apply 1,834 Broadway.

AIR BRUSH operator on posters and fashions. Henry Bloch, Inc., 15 West 38th St.

ARTIST, commercial, who understands reproduction; also air brush work. Henry Bloch, Inc., 15 West 38th St.

BOND TRADER wanted by well known stock exchange firm; state experience; replies treated confidentially. S 756 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, capable, clean-cut young man, thoroughly experienced, who understands full set, including journal and trial balance, as assistant to accountant of import and export house; must have excellent references and stand thorough investigation as to honesty, character and ability; state age, nationality, religion, experience and salary expected to start. W 83 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, ASSISTANT; MUST BE ACQUAINTED WITH EXPORT AND IMPORT WORK. ALSO USE TYPEWRITER; EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNG MAN BETWEEN 22 AND 30 YEARS OF AGE; STATE FULL QUALIFICATIONS AND SALARY DESIRED. S 749 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

BOOKKEEPER—A nearby New Jersey newspaper wants a young man bookkeeper of experience, preferably with some knowledge of advertising and circulation accounting; must live on Jersey side. Y 2437 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER, CAPABLE AND ACCURATE THOSE THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED, WITH FIRST-CLASS REFERENCES, NEED APPLY; STATE IN DETAIL EXPERIENCE, AGE, SALARY DESIRED, &C. W 90 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, wanted by Stock Exchange firm; must be good penman; state age, experience and expectations. Address M. L., P. O. Box 822, City Hall Station, New York City.

BOOKKEEPER (assistant to head accountant), large export corporation; must be middle-aged man with experience; give full particulars and state lowest salary expected. A 772 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, capable taking charge of double entry set of books, control accounts, trial balance, &c. Apply, stating age, experience, salary desired. Box 53, 209 Cable Building.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced double entry, take charge of office; permanent position and excellent salary for right party; state age, references and salary desired. Box 19, 209 Cable Bldg.

BOOKKEEPER and general office man as assistant to office manager; good future but moderate salary to start; Christian firm. D 269 Times.

BOY—Bright boy wanted to make himself generally useful in publishing office; position offers good chance of advancement. Apply between 9 11, and 12, Wednesday or Thursday at 25 City Hall Place, 8th floor.

BOYS, 15-16 years of age, wanted; large downtown office; only those willing to pay strict attention to business need apply. Answer, stating religion and salary. A 688 Times Downtown.

BOYS, 14-17 years, to assist in a prominent law office; be generally useful, bright, ambitious boys; experience not necessary. Apply suite 1206, 49 Wall St.

BOY, 17 years of age, in wholesale dry goods commission; reference required. A 736 Times Downtown.

BOY wanted by dress house, to deliver packages and make himself generally useful. Lengel Bros., 16 West 30th.

BOY, office, Christian wholesale house; $15 weekly; good future. K 203 Times.

BUYER—Prominent wholesale dry goods jobbers desire a buyer experienced in buying and selling hosiery and underwear; good opportunity for thoroughly experienced man; give details, stating years' experience, where employed, salary expected, &c.; all correspondence held strictly confidential. "RELIABLE," 653 Times Downtown.

BUYER, experienced in printing, stationery and office supplies; large corporation located near Times Square; state experience and salary desired. T 501 Times.

CHEMIST wanted for laboratory paint and varnish factory. Y 2452 Times Annex.

CLERK, energetic and intelligent, with thorough knowledge of German and typewriting, wanted by downtown import and export house for general office work; address in own handwriting, stating experience and salary desired. L 686 Times Downtown.

CLERK, evening, wanted, male; clerical duties in large hospital; experience not absolutely necessary; state age, reference and church affiliations; hours 5-10 P. M., six weekdays, no Sunday work; salary $50 per month. "Reliable," T 598 Times.

CLERK for a large publishing concern; state age, experience and salary expected. S 1699 Times Annex.

CORRESPONDENT—One who can stand on his own feet; possesses initiative and sales instinct; to assist manufacturer of paper specialties to enlarge field of distribution by mail; this is an important position with a future; only experienced men need submit application, which must contain fullest particulars and salary required to be considered. A. D., 345 Times.

HELP WANTED—Male.

CREDIT CORRESPONDENT.
We want a man with actual experience in the credit department of a manufacturing or wholesaling concern of high grade wearing apparel; the highest degree of tact and a command of the very best English being essential qualifications; each applicant must be prepared to undergo a rigid examination; permanent position at a good salary with a house of over fifty years' standing is offered to such a man; send full particulars regarding age and experience. Box 58, 209 Cable Bldg.

DESIGNER
wanted on child looking dresses; one who has the unquestionable right to a good liberal salary. Apply in confidence, 1,182 Broadway, Room 907.

DESK MAN—Competent man for news, exchanges, makeup; trade publication; steady day position; write fully, experience, references, also salary. A 742 Times Downtown.

EDITOR for trade weekly; capable executive and business writer; full particulars necessary; state salary. A 875 Times Downtown.

ELECTRICAL TESTERS.
MUST BE PUBLIC SCHOOL GRADUATES, HIGH SCHOOL PREFERRED, CAN OBTAIN PRACTICTL EXPERIENCE AND THOROUGH TRAINING IN A PROMINENT CORPORATION IN THIS CITY;
ACTIVE, NON-CONFINING WORK. PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT, CALLING FOR VISITS TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY AND OFFERING POSITIVE ADVANCEMENT FOR THOSE WITH A LEANING TOWARD A MECHANICAL OCCUPATION.
DEFINITE COURSE OF PRACTICAL INSTRUCTION AND THEORETICAL COURSES OF STUDY, TO WHICH EMPLOYEES OF THE COMPANY ARE ELIGIBLE IN THE COMPANY SCHOOL, ASSURE SOUND TRAINING; SALARY TO START, $16 WEEKLY.
APPLY BY LETTER TO
MR. F. E. HILL,
104 EAST 32D ST.

ENGINEER and fireman for heating plant in business house; must also run elevator; references required. Apply Wills, 62 9th Av.

FILE CLERK—Young lady who has had experience filing vouchers required by large steamship company; state age and salary expected. V 835 Times Downtown.

FOREMAN and sampleMaker wanted, to understand and manage a general line of men's leather goods; salary and bonus or commission on sales; state references and nature of experience; splendid opportunity for the right party. S 759 Times Downtown.

FURNITURE MAN, thoroughly experienced, wanted to take full charge and buy for furniture department in department store located in a Pennsylvania city; one who was employed previously in such capacity and knowing when, where and what to buy. Apply in writing, stating previous experience, reference, &c., Y 2429 Times Annex.

GENTLEMAN wanted, of high social standing, to supervise the organization of a golf and yacht club at Mattituck, L. I., the property now being in the course of development; this connection will prove very remunerative to the right party. Reply by letter only to D. W. B., Room 1101, 35 Nassau St., New York City.

MACHINIST WANTED.
A good all around machinist who can do accurate work, both new and repairs; a man who has had experience in refrigerating work preferred; state age, reference, salary expected and experience in full to Box 186, 908 Fitzgerald Bldg.

MAN AND WIFE, white, to care for small country house and family of three; will give whole top floor, board and wages; man must be handy about house and able to do anything about automobile, and woman to cook and do housework; must not have children. Call, write or telephone, Sadler, West Broadway, Woodmere, L. I. Telephone 3304 Woodmere.

MAN, young or middle-aged, wanted, with experience in pricing in wholesale drug house; must be rapid and accurate; apply in own handwriting, giving reference, experience and salary expected. Y 2411 Times Annex.

MAN TO TAKE COMPLETE CARE OF BUILDING; MUST HAVE FIRST CLASS REFERENCES. APPLY BETWEEN 10 AND 11 A. M. B. WEINSTEIN, 20 WEST 56TH.

MAN, experienced in handling orders and calling charges to entry clerk in manufacturing jewelry house; Christian firm. A 907 Times Downtown.

MANAGER, experienced, for ladies' ready-to-wear store in town of 30,000, near New York. Apply Samuel Lewis, 41 Union Square.

OFFICE ASSISTANT with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Address, stating age, references and salary expected, L 702 Times Downtown.

OFFICE BOY, make himself generally useful; one who understands filing preferred; state age, references and salary. V 822 Times Downtown.

OFFICE BOY, 16 years old, in baby law office. A 772 Times Downtown.

OPERATOR, Burroughs adding machine, for large corporation in Flatbush; write stating age, salary, &c. S 762 Times Downtown.

PORTER and shipping clerk, wholesale tobacco, experienced preferred; accuracy important. 64 Vesey St.

PORTER, WHITE, HANDY MAN; HONEST, STEADY; GOOD SALARY. 572 5TH AV.

PURCHASING AGENT'S ASSISTANT—Young man, energetic and reliable, must be stenographer and have preferably purchasing department experience. Reply, stating age, education, experience and salary expected. Y 2414 Times Annex.

RESTAURANT MANAGER, who is looking for profitable connection, has excellent opportunity with chain organization now forming. 49 Liberty St., Room 35.

SALES ENGINEER
WANTED TO HANDLE OUR LINE OF LIQUID MEASURING DEVICES; A MAN FAMILIAR WITH THE PLANT PROCESSES OF MANUFACTURING CHEMISTS AND OIL REFINERS WILL BE GIVEN PREFERENCE. APPLY BY LETTER ONLY, GIVING AGE, EXPERIENCE AND SALARY EXPECTED.
PNEUMERCATOR COMPANY, INC.,
15 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK.

SALES ENGINEER—LARGE CORPORATION REQUIRES CHEMICAL ENGINEER TO SELL ACID-PROOF VALVES, PUMPS, &C., IN TERRITORY THAT HAS A WELL-ESTABLISHED TRADE; ATTRACTIVE SALARY TO START AND OPPORTUNITY FOR RAPID ADVANCEMENT. S 762 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

SALESMAN for nationally advertised over-all line, high grade, proven sales record, capable of earning $7,000 a year; for a country territory, traveling in your own car; drawing account against commission. Y 2442 Times Annex.

SALESMAN wanted who is calling on department stores to carry manufacturing jeweler's line of novelties and jewelry on a commission basis as a side line. Write J. G. Kilkenny Co., 95 Fountain St., Providence, R. I.

SALESMEN—WANTED, BY LARGE BOSTON RAINCOAT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, THREE SALESMEN, ON COMMISSION BASIS. FOR PARTICULARS WRITE TO MR. ANDERSON, PENNSYLVANIA HOTEL, CITY.

SALESMAN WANTED CALLING ON JOBBING TRADE TO REPRESENT LIVE KNIT NECKWEAR MANUFACTURER THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES; COMMISSION AND DRAWING ACCOUNT. Y 2450 TIMES ANNEX.

SALESMAN—A direct factory representative wanted for Staten Island, to handle a nationally advertised electrical appliance; one with car preferred; exceptional opportunity, with compensation on commission basis. Apply 247 Jackson Av., Jersey City.

SALESMAN, experienced hosiery and underwear, acquainted with buyers of department stores, large retailers and resident buyers; city and suburbs; state previous connections; salary and commission. S 758 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, executive, wanted, with ability to sell Dusenberg Automobile and Motors Company, on commission, 3 p. cent. preferred stock; exceptional sales record established. Dusenberg Automobile and Motors Company, Inc., 5 Columbus Circle.

SALESMAN, experienced, to handle in New York City and vicinity high-grade line specialties lighting fixtures and lamps, on commission; Christian firm; state experience and full particulars. W 76 Times.

SALESMAN, coal, wholesale, having some knowledge of New York and vicinity territory; commission or salary. Apply or write Tuttle-Burger Coal Co., 4106 Woolworth Bldg. Phone Barclay 5486.

SALESMEN—Those calling on department store notion buyers, to carry side line of hair nets; commission. Call or write, stating territory covered, Keystone Hair Net Imp. Corp., 224 West 34th.

SALESMEN, leather goods, who travel all Southern cities to take extensive line of beaded and chain bags on commission trade; already established. Write only, Metro, 65 Irving Place.

SALESMEN, to sell complete line of brushes to hospitals, schools, colleges, hotels; only those with experience need apply; give references and experience in first letter; salary or commission. W 95 Times.

SALESMAN with some experience to sell galvanized sheets in N. Y. City; good opportunity to learn business and chance for advancement for hard worker; salary and commission. S 757 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN who has a following in New England States with retailers and jobbers on crochet, embroidery and sewing threads; to represent well known brand as side line; commission basis. W 102 Times.

HELP WANTED—Male.

SALESMEN,
IF YOU
have learned how to work and have energy and ambition not only to make a splendid income, but to establish yourself, you are the man we are looking for. Preference given to men with insurance or book selling experience, between the ages of 25 and 40. We are old-established security dealers and handle only the highest grade securities upon which a permanent clientele can be built. We educate you to make good. Good commission. Several local territories around New York open. Call 10 to 4, Suite 1502, 170 Broadway. Ask for Sales Manager.

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PENNSYLVANIA.
NEW ENGLAND STATES.
FREIGHT MEN EXPERIENCED SELLING OILCLOTHS, WINDOW SHADES, FLOOR COVERING, CRETONNES, ETC.; COMMISSION AND DRAWING ACCOUNT.
EDWARD KORN CO.,
304 BROADWAY.

SALESMEN.
An industry of national scope would like to hear from salesmen with cutlery experience; this experience is not essential, as men of good address, personality and character who would like to sell will be interviewed by appointment; write, stating references and experience; commission basis. Box 29, Room 201, Annex, 120 Liberty St.

SALESMEN — Wanted, experienced cloak and suit salesmen for department store located about 400 miles west of New York; must be experienced, as well as ambitious, possessing the necessary qualifications to become heads of departments. Apply in writing, stating full particulars, such as previous place of employment, in what capacity, &c., Y 2430 Times Annex.

SALESMAN,
high class, to work on CATHOLIC ENCYCLOPEDIA; leads and strongest co-operation furnished; only those capable of earning $100 or more weekly will be considered; references absolutely essential; salary based on earnings. See Charles R. Corbett, 23 East 41st St.

SALESMAN—Young man with good personality, character, aggressiveness and ability to "close," desired to represent one of the largest and fasting growing insurance companies of its kind in the country; previous experience in the particular line not necessary; an excellent opportunity for right man; salary adjusted to the man and sales made; correspondence confidential; give full particulars about education, experience, past connections and interview will be arranged. Box T 595 Times.

SALESMEN WANTED.
If you are honest and in good standing in your community, want an unusual opportunity to start and grow with a large company, we will consider you and give you an opportunity of handling the territory in this city selling petroleum and its products, lubricating oil, greases, &c.; honesty and integrity more essential than experience; salary and commission. Apply by letter, Box T. R., Room 201, 120 Liberty St., N. Y.

SALESMAN—SWEATERS.
A leading sweater, bathing suit and fancy knit goods manufacturer with established following open for representatives in New England States, Middle West and Denver to coast; experience and full knowledge of knit wear absolutely essential; will only consider men who have earned five thousand yearly; wonderful opportunity; drawing against commissions; line ready Jan. 1. E 102 Times.

SALESMEN—SWEATERS.
One of the largest sweater, bathing suit and fancy knit goods manufacturers, with established following, desires representatives to cover Pennsylvania, Ohio, will only consider experienced men with full knowledge knit wear; can earn five to ten thousand yearly; drawing against commissions; line ready Jan. 1. E 102 Times.

SALESMAN, syndicate cut or advertising solicitor; experience preferred but not necessary; have opening for three salesmen capable of earning $5,000 yearly or better on commission; we do business with merchants and bankers throughout the country; applicants must be willing to devote entire time and have sufficient funds to finance themselves until orders are verified. Call third floor, 151 W. 46th St., New York.

SALESMEN—TWO HIGH-GRADE MEN TO HANDLE WELL-KNOWN LINE OF SWEATERS AND BATHING SUITS; ONE TO COVER NEW YORK, PENNSYLVANIA AND OHIO, OTHER FOR NEW JERSEY, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON; ONLY MEN WITH STRONG ESTABLISHED FOLLOWING WILL BE CONSIDERED; DRAWING ACCOUNT AGAINST COMMISSION. YALE KNITTING MILLS, 514 BROADWAY.

SALESMAN.
Security salesman who is looking for chance of lifetime in absolutely new field with tens of thousands live prospects and who can earn $10,000 per annum upwards on commission is offered opportunity with large corporation; tell what you have done; state when available for opening. Write G. P. O., Box 172, New York.

SALESMEN TO SELL OLDSMOBILE PASSENGER CARS AND TRUCKS IN QUEENS COUNTY; PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN THE AUTOMOBILE LINE NOT ESSENTIAL, BUT HONESTY, ENERGY AND ABILITY ARE ESSENTIAL; COMMISSION BASIS. WALKER BROTHERS MOTOR COMPANY, INC., 436 FULTON ST., JAMAICA. TELEPHONE JAMAICA 4110.

SALESMAN.
YOUR BUSINESS IS AT A STANDSTILL.
If you have had selling experience, are a worker of good address and appearance, between 25 and 35, and would like to sell investment bonds of the highest grade for an old-established house doing a countrywide business, state salary and a full description of yourself and your experience; give your telephone number. V 902 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN—SPECIALTY MAN TO REPRESENT A WELL-ESTABLISHED CORPORATION SELLING GOVERNMENT-COMPILED INFORMATION; COMMISSION, BONUS AND EXPENSE; 50 MEN AVERAGING $125 WEEKLY; OFFER OVER 5 YEARS OF AGE AND WITH A SALES PERSONALITY AND A RECORD. APPLY TO 40 WEST 39TH ST., 2D FLOOR.

SALESMEN to represent us to the men's clothing and furnishing trade throughout the country; only high-class men with a following willing to carry our line as a highly profitable side line on straight commission; complete and exclusive line of men's fine handkerchiefs; our firm long established and well-known for service. Write Unusual Opportunity, T 895 Times.

SALESMEN,
Retail, to travel on the road selling men's fine shoes to college trade; must be experienced; single men preferred; salary. W 31 Times.

SALESMEN to carry side line of juvenile and boys' clothing for jobbers and department stores; commission basis; west Jersey and Long Island territory. Triumph Manf Co., 161 Grand corner Centre St.

SALESMEN
on waists, manufacturer making better grade semi-tailored silk waists, has several openings for experienced men; commission. Box 39, 209 Cable Bldg.

SALESMAN for hair nets and kindred line; several good territories still unfilled; commission basis; may handle non-conflicting notion line; a proposition for first-class man. Sitroux Importing Co., 1,128 Broadway.

SALESMAN with following among costume trade to sell line of ribbon flowers, &c.; salary and commission. Write full particulars; strictly confidential. Standard Novelty Works, 114 East 28th.

SALESMAN, drug and specialty salesman, calling on retail drug trade; excellent opportunity for live man; local and outside territory; commission arrangement. Call, 29 Wooster St.

SALESMAN wanted, to sell wooden box shooks in and around New York; only those who have a following need apply; drawing account and bonus. S 755 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN to sell vacuum cleaners, fine territory, good proposition; commission basis; only honest workers need apply. Call Shore Road 9580.

SALESMEN, experienced on calling on commercial stationers, to represent well known manufacturers; salary and commission. Apply Room 215, 324 6th Av.

SALESMEN for New York State Pennsylvania and the South; only first class references considered; commission basis. Regent Waist Co., 8 East 39th.

SALESMAN for New England and Middle States to carry side line of infants' and children's dresses; commission only. E. & M. Ac Jacobs, 300 Sackman St., Brooklyn.

HELP WANTED—Male.

SALESMEN—Manufacturer of office specialty, guaranteed by Robert H. Ingersoll of watch fame, for which there is a universal need, requires the services of intelligent, hustling salesmen, who can make big money marketing our device on a commission basis.

They will be given a thorough course of training in our selling methods and will have the constant support of an experienced management; no good man will be allowed to fail.

If you think you possess the elements of success and are determined to earn upward of $75 a week, here is you opportunity.

See MR. H. A. WOGLOM, 9th floor, 450 4th Av., after 9:30 A. M.

SALESMEN.
THREE TRAVELING SALESMEN, BETWEEN 25 AND 30 YEARS OLD, WHO ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE RETAIL DRY GOODS TRADE, TO REPRESENT A WELL ESTABLISHED PAPER PATTERN COMPANY; SALARY AND EXPENSES. WRITE, GIVING EXPERIENCE, &C., W 99 TIMES.

SALESMEN—SECURITY.
We can offer to a few experienced salesmen of highest calibre an opportunity to assist in the placing of a limited amount of preferred stock, carrying an attractive common stock bonus, in a sound industrial that will bear the most rigid investigation; commission basis; give references. B 764 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN.
Young men wanted by Swiss manufacturing importers to sell from New York stock embroideries, laces and white goods to making-up trade, also to department stores in New York City, on a liberal commission basis. Apply, stating experience, references and age, "Laces," W 89 Times.

SALESMAN—UP-TO-DATE BEAD NECKLACE, JEWELRY AND NOVELTY HOUSE HAS NEW YORK STATE AND MIDDLE WEST OPEN FOR PROGRESSIVE AND AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN; EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE OF TRADE NECESSARY; SALARY OR COMMISSION. D 298 TIMES.

SALESMEN—Increase your income; other lines may be dull but not ours; general insurance; liberal commission and renewal; we will instruct you; no salaries or advances; good profits increasing yearly. W. R. Collins & Co., 117 Broadway. Ask for Mr. Abramson or Mr. Rauh.

SALESMEN WANTED, 3,
ONE FOR COAST, ONE MIDDLE WEST AND ONE FOR SOUTH; MEDIUM LINE LADIES' HAND BAGS; SALARY OR COMMISSION; ONLY FIRST CLASS MEN WITH BIG RETAIL FOLLOWING NEED APPLY. BOX 28, 1626 ST. JAMES BLDG.

SALESMEN—New Ford pleasure cars and trucks; some sales ability combined with an unlimited amount of hard work will positively bring a man big earnings; commission basis; previous automobile experience not necessary. Wm. Krauss & Co., 110th St. and Central Park West.

SALESMAN, ribbon, to call on New York City trade; only thoroughly experienced need apply; liberal salary. Write H. T., 63, Room 1201, 220 West 42d.

SALESMEN wanted to carry small line of high-grade boys' pants on commission; all territories open. Endel Pfeifer Co., 3 East 14th St.

SALESMAN for Middle Western States for large manufacturers cocoa and chocolate; state experience and salary; resident of West desired. S 760 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN wanted; well-known dress house for city offices and retailers; good opportunity for right party; commission. Write K. H., 1214 Wilson Building.

SALESMAN to travel Connecticut for Manhattan electrical supply company; state previous experience and salary desired. A 1001 Times Harlem.

SALESMEN, traveling Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, to carry side line ladies' high grade gloves; commission basis. Box 15, 209 Cable Bldg.

SALESMAN wanted, to carry side line of hats and caps; one well acquainted with jobbers and department stores; commission. K 353 Times.

SALESMEN, traveling south and west, to carry complete line talcum powders, hydrogen of peroxide, &c.; ready sellers; commission. Seligman Bros., 799 Greenwich St.

SALESMAN to sell human hair, hair nets, hair dressing accessories, who has an established trade; salary and commission. W 73 Times.

SALESMAN—Large knitting factory wants an experienced salesman for the knit goods jobbing trade, on commission only. Y 2424 Times Annex.

SALESMAN wanted on commission, carrying side line to hardware trade through New York State. Apply 141 Fifth St.

SALESMEN, experienced dolls and toys; commission basis. Address by mail only J. Bouton & Co., 906 Broadway.

SALESMEN — For strong side line human hair nets; all territories; liberal commissions. S 356 Times.

SALESMAN familiar with toy trade for city and nearby sections; state references and salary? wholesale. N 806 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, jewelry, on commission; rare opportunity; replies treated confidential. Y 2433 Times Annex.

SALESMAN, to call on office trade and some retailers; commission basis. Lengel Bros., 16 West 30th.

SALESMAN to sell Swiss torchon laces; must know trade; commission. L 720 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY—Well-educated stenographer or dictationist; $25; state age, religion, education, experience. V 879 Times.

SEXTON wanted, care of church, parish house and grounds; house supplied. Phone Melrose 2430.

SILK STOCK BOY, one who knows how to measure and cut silk; immediate opening; good future. Call 10-30, George J. Quinn & Co., 12th floor, 288 4th Av.

SOLICITOR, business school; give references, experience; drawing and commission. L 256 Times.

STERLING SILVER SALESMAN.
Representative on salary for a high-grade sterling silver hollow ware line to the jewelry trade in all the large cities as far west as Denver. Must be a competent and capable man to meet and converse with the best jewelry trade in the country—a man of experience, with ability to suggest new ideas in design of goods, &c. Y 2369 Times Annex.

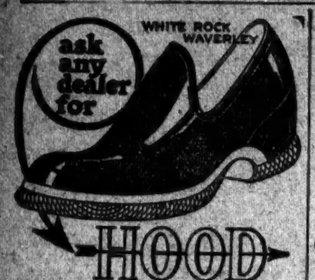
STEWARD wanted for New York club; salary at rate of $2,500 per year; answer by mail, stating experience and references. L 688 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER for office of large steamship company; good opportunity; state age, experience and salary desired. V 854 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER,
in Brooklyn office; hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., Saturday noon. Write, stating age, experience and salary. R. T., 521 Times.

STOCK CLERK
for Brooklyn factory, to keep perpetual inventory cards, receive and issue stock, direct men; must give reliable references; hours 8 to 5:30; salary $25. R. C., 317 Times.

STOCK CLERK wanted by large cotton goods house; state age, experience, salary desired.



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NAMES TALLEY JUDGE OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Governor Smith Also Appoints Edward J. Glennon Bronx District Attorney.

G. W. MARTIN COUNTY JUDGE

All the Appointees Allied With Tammany Hall—Talley's Selection Not Expected.

ALBANY, Dec. 28.—Governor Smith today announced the appointment of Alfred J. Talley as a Judge of the Court of General Sessions, New York County. Mr. Talley, who is an Assistant District Attorney of New York County, was named to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge James T. Malone.

The Governor also made public the appointment of Supreme Court Justice Edward J. Glennon as District Attorney of Bronx County. He succeeds Francis Martin, resigned, who was elected to the Supreme Court bench in the last election.

George W. Martin was named to succeed Judge McDermott as County Judge of Kings County.

The appointment of Alfred J. Talley to the General Sessions bench was not expected, but undoubtedly will be pleasing to Tammany Hall. Mr. Talley has been active in the affairs of the Tammany organization for many years. Recently he has been talked of as a probable Tammany candidate for District Attorney to succeed Edward Swann in next year's election. His elevation to the bench may force a change in Tammany's program in this respect, for it is regarded likely now that he will be a candidate for the position he will fill by appointment for the next twelve months.

Mr. Talley has been chief assistant to District Attorney Swann since 1917. In addition to his work in the general direction of the office he has tried many of the important cases, including those of "Ricky" Harrison, George Stivers, Morris Tacchi, Betty Inch, Stewart McMullan, Jimmy Regan, Elizabeth Baksa, Frank de Raemes Storey and James Foye.

Mr. Talley was born in New York City and was educated at Public School 55, the College of St. Francis Xavier and the New York Law School. Following his admission to the bar at the age of 21 he practiced law for several years. He was appointed Civil Service Commissioner by Mayor McClellan and served from 1904 to 1906. He was counsel to the State Insurance Department under William Temple Emmet from 1912 to 1914. Following Mr. Swann's election in 1915 Mr. Talley declined appointment as Assistant District Attorney but two years later accepted the post.

For several years Mr. Talley was a lecturer for the Board of Education on "American Literature, Travel and Elementary Law." Fordham University and the College of St. Francis Xavier gave him degrees of LL.D. He was a member of the City Bar Association, the County Lawyers' Association, the State Bar Association, the Catholic Club and the New York Athletic Club.

He is married and has four children, three sons and a daughter. He lives at 260 Riverside Drive.

The appointment of Justice Glennon to succeed District Attorney Martin, elected a Justice of the Supreme Court, was not unexpected. Justice Glennon, serving under an appointment from Governor Smith, agreed not to become a candidate to succeed himself in the event that District Attorney Martin should seek the nomination. It was understood last October that in the event of Mr. Martin's election, Justice Glennon would be appointed to fill the vacancy in the public prosecutor's office in the Bronx, where Justice Glennon is affiliated with the regular Democratic organization. He was for some years an Assistant District Attorney under Mr. Martin.

George W. Martin, appointed to succeed Charles J. McDermott, who sent in his resignation as County Judge of Kings, received his appointment largely as the result of heavy organization backing. He has been an active worker in the party ranks for a score of years. He is looked upon as an able lawyer and served for five years as an Assistant District Attorney of Kings when the late John F. Clarke was prosecutor. Two years ago he was a candidate for Congress against Reuben L. Haskell, now a County Judge, and was defeated. He is 44 years old and head of the law firm of Martin & Kesselman at 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn.

W. W. SMITH REPORTED CHOSEN BY MILLER

Governor-Elect Refuses to Affirm or Deny That He Has Appointed Secretary.

Special to The New York Times.

SYRACUSE, Dec. 28.—Governor-elect Miller tonight refused to affirm or deny that he had appointed W. Ward Smith of New York his Secretary. When first asked about the designation, Mr. Miller gave the inference that the selection had been made, appearing displeased that the news should have leaked out, as he was withholding announcement of the appointment with a view to including it in a list of appointees to be given out later in the week.

Later tonight the Governor-elect announced that he would not state whether he had appointed Mr. Smith to the Secretaryship.

ALBANY, Dec. 28.—W. Ward Smith of New York was a visitor at the Capitol today and spent considerable time at the Executive chambers, where he met many of the employes, who gained the impression that Mr. Smith would be the next Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Smith, in reply to questions, stated that any announcement would necessarily have to come from the Governor-elect.

W. Ward Smith was active in the Hoover movement prior to the Republican National Convention. He was one of the organizers of the Hoover Republican Club and traveled extensively throughout the country as a promoter of the Presidential boom started for Mr. Hoover. During the war he was identified as a volunteer worker with the Food Administration as well as with various relief movements and other war activities. His family is wealthy. His father is the head of a lumber corporation with offices at 29 Broadway. Mr. Smith became well acquainted with Governor-elect Miller, who was sponsor for Mr. Hoover in the Republican National Convention during the Presidential primary campaign.

The fact that Governor-elect Miller has put off the selection of a secretary so long has been the subject of a great deal of comment in political circles. Several persons have been mentioned for the place, among others Alfred H. Kirchhofer, legislative correspondent of The Buffalo Evening News, who has the backing of the Erie County Republican organization; Charles H. Armitage, a former Albany correspondent and resident in Buffalo, and Daniel Ackerman, Secretary of the State Fair Commission, with headquarters at Syracuse.

JOHN J. LYONS INAUGURATED

New Secretary of State Honored at Ceremony Here.

Friends of John J. Lyons, Secretary of State-elect, held an inaugural ceremony for him yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Merchants' Association. About 200 persons attended.

The incoming Secretary of State serves as master of ceremonies at the inauguration of the Governor and other elective State officers, which is held on Jan. 1 under the Constitution. It is necessary that he be sworn in before that date.

Mr. Lyons was sworn in by Benjamin N. Cardozo, former Judge of the Court of Appeals, and presented with a silver service by members of the State Controller's New York City staff.

3 PERISH IN FIRE TRAGEDY.

Father's Back Broken on Ground to Break Fall of Others.

Special to The New York Times.

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 28.—Failure to remember a second stairway in the building in which they lived cost the lives of three members of the George M. Mitchell family following a fire in Garfield Hall, a Wichita landmark, and two little daughters were injured. The sixth member, a boy of 17, remembered the other stairway and escaped uninjured.

The fire started early Christmas morning while the family was asleep. The father gave his life trying to save the others. Believing all exits cut off, he leaped from a third-story window and ordered the mother to drop the three younger children on him as he lay on the sidewalk. His body broke the fall of the children, but when Mrs. Mitchell jumped from the window she struck his body and his back was broken. He died ten minutes later. Mrs. Mitchell died yesterday, and the youngest son, Rex, 10 years old, succumbed a short time later.

The life of Marjorie, 12 years old, was despaired of until today, when her condition was reported improved. She is suffering from severe burns. Another daughter, Mercedes, 14, is less severely injured.

Mitchell was conducting a skating rink in the building, which was used as a dance hall in the early days.

EXHUMING AMERICAN DEAD.

Army to Return 900 Bodies From Bony Cemetery.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Exhumation of the bodies of American soldiers buried at Bony Cemetery, all men of the Twenty-seventh (New York National Guard) and Thirtieth (Wildcat, from Tennessee and North and South Carolina) Divisions began today. Of 1,777 bodies in the cemetery about 900 will be returned to the United States and the rest will not be disturbed. Bony is to be one of the four permanent cemeteries in France and other bodies will be moved into the cemetery, but this work will not start until the sending of bodies to America has been completed.

It is the first big battlefield cemetery to be reached by the army exhumation units. The district is so devastated that there is no shelter for the workers, and a train provides quarters for them. Winter weather has set in and movable sheds have been built to shelter the men while working.

WOMAN KILLS WOMAN.

Fatal Quarrel Between Mothers Over Children's Dispute.

Mrs. Congetta Altieri, 37 years old, of 13 South Street, Corona, was killed yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Vanatello Ransella, 40 years old, of the same address, in a quarrel over their children.

The children were playing in the yard adjoining the house and a fight developed. According to the story told to detectives of the Newtown precinct, Mrs. Ransella came out to separate them, when Mrs. Altieri appeared. Then the two women quarreled. Mrs. Ransella ran into the house and reappeared with a .38-calibre pistol, which she fired at Mrs. Altieri. The bullet pierced the woman's heart and she died almost instantly.

After the shooting Mrs. Ransella ran into her home and hid herself. Word was sent to the Newtown precinct. Detectives Barrett and Knapp arrested Mrs. Ransella. She will be arraigned in Flushing Police Court today.

HONOR AMERICAN SOCIETY.

Gold Medal Is Conferred on Committee for Devastated France.

President Millerand of the French Republic has awarded the Gold Medal Reconnaissance Française to the entire American Committee for Devastated France, with the following citation in the latest Official Journal:

"For having organized an important war and construction relief work in the Departments of the Aisne and the Oise which the Government declares is conducted on the most ingenious lines for the victims of the war and the economic reconstruction of the devastated regions."

This is said to be the first time this honor has been conferred on a foreign relief organization. The American Committee for Devastated France was organized in 1915 for relief work among the civilian population. Myron T. Herrick is President and Miss Anne Morgan Vice President.

BLIZZARD IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Train Service Is Disorganized and Shipping Is Stormbound.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 28.—A blizzard swept over this island colony today and left confusion among communication mediums in its wake. The damage was not extensive, but all shipping was held to ports, train service was disrupted and roads made impassable. The storm was the first of the Winter. Weather authorities predicted that it would not blow itself out for days.

The sea kicked up by the gale were so great that a section of the narrow-gauge track of the Reid-Newfoundland Railway at Conception Bay was washed away. Express trains running through the bleak interior fell far behind their schedules, and rotary snowplows were sent out to bore a way for them through the snow barrier.

COAST TO COAST AIR TRIP.

Army Lieutenant Plans 2,079-Mile Journey for 24-Hour Record.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 28.—An attempt to fly 2,079 miles from Florida to California in twenty-four hours will be made Feb. 22 by Lieutenant Alexander Pearson, Jr., Major Henry C. Pratt, air officer of the Eighth Corps area, announced today. Lieutenant Pearson won the transcontinental air race last Winter.

The flight will be made in three "hops." The starting point will be Pablo Beach, Jacksonville, Fla. The first "hop" of 804 miles will be made to Ellington Field, Houston, Texas; the second from Ellington Field to El Paso, a distance of 660 miles, and the third is scheduled from El Paso to Rockwell Field, San Diego, Cal., 615 miles.

NATHAN LEVY IS DIVORCED.

Final Decree Entered Against Standard Tallow Co. Official.

A final decree of divorce was granted yesterday by Vice Chancellor Foster in Newark to Mrs. Pearl Levy from Nathan Levy, Vice President of the Standard Tallow Company of Newark. Mr. Levy is a son of Julius Levy, President of the company. Mrs. Levy charged cruelty and desertion. Alimony of $30 a week and counsel fee were granted.

Mr. Levy was said to be in San Francisco. He married Miss Blayer in February, 1913, and was charged with having deserted her on May 30, 1918.

CARUSO RESTING EASILY.

'Fairly Comfortable and No Change,' Is Doctors' Report.

Bruno Zirato, secretary to Enrico Caruso, who is confined in his apartment in the Hotel Vanderbilt suffering from pleurisy, last night gave out the following bulletin signed by the five physicians attending him:

Mr. Caruso is resting fairly comfortably. His condition shows no essential change.
LAMBERT,
EVANS,
STELLE,
MURRAY,
HOROWICH.

William J. Guard, publicity director of the Metropolitan Opera House, said that Mrs. Caruso had told him over the telephone that her husband's condition was as satisfactory as could be expected.

HOME-MADE BOMB KILLED BOY'S FRIEND

Victim, Who May Die, Admits He Filled Gas Pipe With Gunpowder.

SHOT ONE "TO HEAR NOISE"

Third Boy Badly Injured, but Doctors Think He Will Recover.

Sixteen-year-old Herbert Bramm, from his cot in the Swedish Hospital, Brooklyn, yesterday admitted to Police Captain Frank J. Conboy of the Grand Avenue Station, that the bomb which exploded in his home at 139 Rogers Avenue on Sunday with fatal results was of his own manufacture and had not been picked up by him, as he at first said.

According to young Bramm's original story, he found the bomb in the woods near Bergen Beach and hid it in his home, in an apartment house. On Sunday he was showing his "find" to two of his friends, John F. McKenney, 16, of 1,248 Union Street, and Paul Clandow, 17, of 805 St. John's Place, when it exploded. McKenney was killed and the other two boys were badly injured. Bramm's left hand was blown off and he also suffered a serious injury to his left eye.

The boy told Captain Conboy and Detective Owens that he had made a similar bomb some time before, which he had exploded at Bergen Beach, "to hear the noise."

Mrs. Hilda Bramm, the boy's mother, said she did not know that Herbert had made the fatal bomb or any other such contrivance. Mrs. Bramm said that Herbert always had been of a "mechanical turn of mind" and was continually tinkering with things. He frequently had taken his bicycle apart and put it together, but she doubted that he was capable of making the infernal machine which exploded.

The police say that the bomb was made of a piece of gas pipe ten inches long, and the boy is said to have told Captain Conboy that he filled the pipe with gunpowder and other ingredients. He had learned about such things by reading books and also had gained some knowledge by looking up "gunpowder" in a dictionary. He was unable to give any clear idea as to how the bomb came to explode. "It just went off" when he was showing it to his two friends.

At the hospital it was said that Bramm's recovery was doubtful, but it was believed that Clandow, his companion, who is a patient there, would recover.

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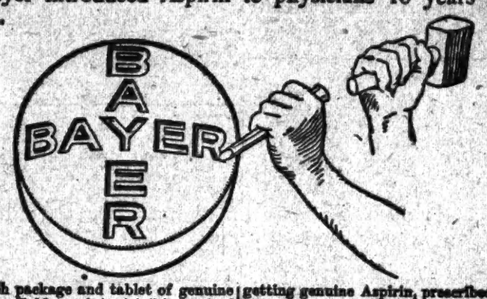

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